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Hadien ka jingjia ha ka 28 tarik u Nohprah 2011, kata kumba shi snem hadien, nga la kwah ban pyndep noh ïa kane ka kot bad ban pynmih noh ïa ka. Nga diaw ka mynsiem bad ngam tip kumno ban sdang. Nga nguh ïa U Trai Kynrad, U Nongbuh Nongthaw ban ïarap bad ai mynsiem ïa nga ban lah ban pyndep ïa kiei kiei kiba u la hap ban iehnoh shiteng namar bym shah shuh ka por ïa u. Ki hynmen ki para jong nga ruh ki ïai kyntiew ba nga dei ban pynkloi ïa ka kam khnang ba ki jingtrei shitom jong u la 20 snem (*Research work*) kin nym sep ei bad kin sei ïa u soh babang. Ha kane ka por kaba khim, nga phai khmat nyngkong sha u Ma S. Quotient Sumer – u paralok ïajan bha bad u Nongthoh. Kumba nga kyrmen, u Ma Sumer u khlem kyntait, u kloï ban ïarap bad batai kumno ban leh. Dei u Ma Sumer uba wad ïa u nongpule bad pynbeit ïa ka *Manuscript* u Ma D. R. Michael Buam bad u ban leh ïa kiei kiei kiba hap ban leh haduh ban *print* ha ka *Press*.

Ha kane ka kot, ngam lah ban thoh pyntam ne ban ot noh hynrei la phah shon thik kumba u Nongthoh u la dep pynbiang nadong shadong. Haduh ki dur jong ki mrad baroh kat kiba u lah ban ïoh lum bad shon dur ïa ki mrad ruh kiba u ïoh. Dangbun ki jingangnud jong u ban thoh ban pynseisoh ïa ka Bri ka Thoh ka Tar u Hynñiew Trep Hynñiew Skum. Nga khmih lynti ba kiei kiei kiba ïadei bad kane ka kot baroh kin long kiba ïaid beit ïaid ryntih kumba u Nongthoh u phohsniew.

Kane ka kot “Ki Mrad Khlaw Ka Meghalaya” ka dei ka kot kaba saw kaba u la pynmih hadien jong ka (1) Behdeinkhlam, (2) Ka Syiem La Tympang bad (3) U Joh Ymbon.

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U la iehnoh shadien ïa ka Lok, Ka Kong Lammi Pde bad lai ngut ki khun kynthei.

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Ka Lok jong u Nongthoh,

Ka Kong Lammi Pde.

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## KA LAMPHRANG

Ka pynsngewrit shisha ia nga haba nga pule ia kane ka kot namarba ka dei hok ban dawa ia ka burom na kiba ieid ia ka jingstad bad jingtip, bad, katba nga dang thoh ia kane ka lamphrang, ka mih ka jingsngewbabe ha lade, namarba ngan ym iohlad ban iasyllok bad iaphylliew jingmut bad une u nongthoh na ka daw ba u Blei u la khot ia u sha ka ri u khyndai trep khyndai skum. Nga pdiang, ba kane ka dei ka mon jong u Kynrad, ba nga la ioh lad ban maitphang ia kane ka kot jong u (Tynrawde) Shining Star Laloo.

Ha ka jingpeit bad ka jingsngew jong nga, kane ka kot ka dei ka synfiang kaba khraw ha ka liang ka thoh ka tar bad ka pule puthi ha ka ktien jong ngi hi ki khun u hynfiawtrep. Nga ong khnang ia kane, namarba, ka jaitbynriew jong ngi kam duna ha ka stad ka tip lada ngi kren ia ka juk barim ne ka juk bathymmai. Ka jingfiapher hapdeng ka juk barim bad kaba thymmai ka dei halor ka jingpyndonkam ia kane ka stad ka tip. Ha ka juk barim, ki kmie bad kpa tymmen jong ngi ki la pyndonkam ia ka stad ka tip jong ki na ka bynta ka **lawei ki nongpateng** jong ki, katba ha kane ka juk bathymmai pat bun kiba pyndonkam ia ka na ka bynta ka **mynta** jong ki. Ngan shu kdew ia ka nuksa jong ki Lawkyntang, ki Law Raid bad ki Law Lyngdoh kiba ki longshwa jong ngi ki la buh la seng na ka bynta jong ngi. Nga sngewkmen bad sngewsarong, ba une u nongthoh u la bud ia ka nuksa ki longshwa jong ngi.

Ka jingkieu ha ka jingriewspah, ka jingfiar bad ka jingfiaineh ka ktien jong kano kano ka jaitbynriew ka shong ha ki jingthoh ba mih na ka, bad, ka dei ruh ban kham mih na ki khun jong ka hi, khnang ba ki jingthoh, ki lah ban pynmih bad pynpaw ia ki jingmut jong ki, katkum ka mynsiem jong ka riti ka dustur jong kata ka jaitbynriew. Bad dei hangne ba ka khyndew ka dang sah shrah namarba dang duna ki nongrep ha kane ka lyngkha ka thoh ka tar ha ka ktien Khasi. Kine ki nongrep kiba la leit bad kiba mynta, ki la pynmih ki jingthoh shaphang ki jingjia ba la dep ne ki khanapateng, ki sawangka, ki kot iathuhkhana, ki jingrwai, ki puriskam bad ki khanatang, ki phawer bad ki jingthoh shaphang ka niam, ka dustur bad ka riti ka jaitbynriew jong ngi. La don ruh ki jingthoh shaphang ka spah mariang ka Ri Khasi jong ngi khamtam shaphang ki phlang ki kynbat bad ki dieng ki siej. Hynrei, wat la katta ruh, ka ktien jong ngi kam pat heh pat san ha ka thoh ka tar. Nga ong ia kane namarba, ngim pat lah ban pule haduh matrik da ka ktien Khasi jong ngi hi (kata ka mut, ki kot pule ha baroh ki subjek da ka ktien Khasi beit), katba kiwei pat ki jait ktien ki para nong-India jong ngi ki la lah ban pule ha ki skul heh (*College*) bad Skul bah (*University*) ha la ki jong ki ktien ha baroh ki subjek pule. Ka jingduna ki kot ha ki subjek pule ka iai pynlong ia ngi ban shaniah ha kiwei pat ki ktien ha ka jingwad ia ka jingstad bad ki kyrdan pule ba kham shalor. Kumta, ka jingpynrung ia ki kyntien na kiwei pat ki thaiñ jong ka Ri Khasi kan iarpah ha kaban pynriewspah shuh shuh ia ka ktien Khasi.

Kumta, kane ka kot ka long kum kawei ka jingjam sha ka thong. Wat lada kam pat long kaba pura, hynrei ka jingjam jong ka ka long kaba jrong ha kaba ka la prat lynti jngai ia kiban sa buddien ban pynpura ia ka. Nga khmih lynti ba ki stad pule ia ki mrad, kin pynriewspah shuh shuh ia kane ka stad-tip-mrad (*zoology*) da kaba kynthoh bad ruh da kaba kynshew shuh shuh ia ki jingtip bad jingshem jong ki shaphang ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh ka jylla jong ngi da kaba kynthup ia ki jynthaw kiba rit ba ria bad wat ia kito kiba ngim lah ban iohi da la ki khmat (*microscopic organisms*).

Nga khmih lynti ruh ba ka thoh ka tar jong ngi kan nang iar da kaba kynthup shuh shuh ia ki jingthoh shaphang ki stad-tip (*science*) bad ki stad-treikor (*technology*), khnang ba ka ktien jong ngi kan nangkiew shaphrang haduh ban da iaryngkat ne wat ban tam ruh ia kiwei pat ki jait ktien ha kane ka pyrthei.

Ka la dei ruh ka por ba ki stad-kot stad-sla kin ialumlang ryngkat bad ki nongthoh kot bad ki nonghikai ha ki skulbah (*universities*) ban pynjanai bad pynpura ia ki dak thoh ha ka ktien Khasi. Kane ka dei ka kam kaba la sahteng slem namarba la bun kiba la ud hynrei ym don pat ba nud. Kam dei ruh ka kam ban leh shimet, hynrei donkam ia ka jingiahylliew jingmut lang na baroh ki paid u khun hynfiwetre. Ka ktien ka dei kaba pyniatylli ia ngi. Kumta, ka jingthoh ia ka, kam dei ban thut ne pynpra ia ngi.

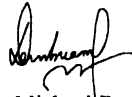
Nga sngewdei ban ai khublei ia i lok jong u nongthoh, i Kong Lammi Pde, bad kiba ha iing ha sem jong u, namar kim shym la tep ne thang ia kane ka kot ryngkat ka met jong u, hynrei ki la pynneh bad pynmih pyrthei ia ka, khnang ba ka jingtrei shitom jong u (Td) Shining S. Laloo kan nym sep ei bad ka matti jong u kan iaineh junom. Nga ngeit, ba ka mynsiem jong u kan nang pyrsad bad kan nang im lyngba kane ka jingshakri baradbah jong u kaba long ha ka dur jong kane ka kot kaba u la aiti na ka bynta ka jaitbynriew jong ngi.

Shuwa ban pynkut, nga kwah ban ong, ba, ka jingiauhkhana shaphang jong ki mrad ha kane ka kot ka long ym tang ban ai jingtip ia ngi, hynrei, ban ai jinghikai ruh na ka bynta jong ngi iwei pa iwei. Ki rukom im bad ki jinglong jong ki mrad, ki hikai bun jait ia ngi ki briew. Ki pynkynmaw ia ngi ia ka jingkordor jong ka jingiatylli, ka jingtrei shitom, ka tip kur tip jaid, ka jingminot, ka jinglen-lade, ka jingsngewrit bad kiwei de ki jingbha. Kumta, to ngin niewkor ia ki para jingthaw - naduh kiba rit haduh kiba heh - kum ki para nongtrei ha ka saifdur jong u Trai Nongbuh Nongthaw.

Ha kaba khadduh, ngan kren iaroh ia u nongthoh namarba u la pyndonkam ia la ka stad, ka tip, ka buit bad ka jingshemphang ha kaban pynwandur ia kane ka kot na ka bynta jong ngi bad ki nongpateng jong ngi khnang ba ka jingshai bad ka jingsngewthuh kan ialam ia ngi ban kynmaw ia kita ki kyntien shoh mynsiem bad shon pyrkhath, kiba ong, "Ngim shym la ioh kynti ia kane ka pyrthei na ki longshuwa jong ngi, hynrei ngi shim ram ia ka na ki longpateng jong ngi".

To ngin iatreilang ban pynriewspah shuh shuh ia ka ktien Khasi khnang ba ki nongpateng jong ngi kin ioh ia kaba **kham bha** bad kaba **kham riewspah** ban ia kaba mynta.

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## LYNNONG 1

### KHYNDIAT ĪA KA MEGHALAYA BAD ĪA KI KHLAW KI BTAP JONG KA

#### 1.0 Ka Maitphang.

Ka Meghalaya ka long ka ri lum kaba iphuh iphieng, ba itynnad bad ba ithiang ban peit. U Blei u la theh sei ĩa la ki jingkyrkhu jingkyrdoh bakhraw ha ka. Ha ka, don da ki hajar tylli ki lum ba jymgam, kiba heh bad kiba rit, kiba jrong bad lyngkot ruh. Don ruh bun tylli ki wah kiba heh bad kiba rit, kiba ki um jong ki, ki long kiba khuid, basngur khliir-khliir, ba daitthah bad ba shngiam ban dii. Ki don ruh bun tylli ki nan ki pung, ki thwei ki tharia, ki riat ki ram, ki rai-ch ki raidam, ki thliw ki syar, ki krem ki kroh, ki krem pubon, ki madan ki madiyah, ki lyngkha ki risa, ki bri soh ki bri kwai, ki khlaw ki btap, ki mrad ki mreng, ki sim ki doh, ki dohkha ki dohpnat, u ngap u lwai, ki khñiang ki puit, ki thapbalieh ki thapbalong bad ki kshaid ba noh rymphum kiba pynñapthai ĩa ki nongpeitkai. Ka khyndew jong ka Meghalaya ruh ka long kaba seisooh bha. Kumta, laiphew jaid laiphew sker ki jingthung jingtep, ki dieng ki siej, ki shken ki sbait, ki skong ki syntieh, ki tyr-a ki kdait, ki tdo ki tluh, ki rimet ki rilud, ki risang ki tnger, ki jyrmi ki nub, ki tyrkhang ki tit, ki phlang ki khah bad ki syntiew ki skud kiba bun jaid ba bun rong har rukom kiba mih ha ka.

Ka Meghalaya ka don hapdeng ka *North Latitude 20°1" bad 26°5" bad hapdeng ki East Longitude 85°49" bad 92°52"*. Ka jingheh jong ka, ka long 22,429 *sq. kms*. La ker ĩa ka na shatei da ka Goalpara District, Kamrup District, Nagaon District bad Karbi Anglong District jong ka jylla Assam, bad na ka liang mihngi da ka Cachar District bad North Cachar District jong ka jylla Assam hi. Na Shathie bad Sepngi la ker ĩa ka da ka Ri Bangladesh. Katkum ka Khanasamari (*Census*) 2001, ki nongshong shnong hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya ki don 23,06,069 ngut.

#### 1.1 Ki Khlaw ba la tyngkai kyrpang da ka Sorkar (*Reserved Forests, National Parks & Wildlife Sanctuaries, Protected Areas, etc.*).

Ka Meghalaya ka don bun bah ki khlaw ki btap, ki lawbah ki lawsan, ki lawrit ki lawbniap, ki lawkyntang, ki lawlyngdoh, ki khlaw Raij, ki khlaw Shnong, ki khlaw Kur, ki khlaw Sorkar, ki khlaw ba la buh tyngkai ĩa ki mrad ki mreng, ki sim ki doh, ki khlaw District Council bad ki khlaw jong ki briew shimet.

Īa ki khlaw Sorkar kiba hap hapoh ka jingpeit jong ka *Forest Department*, la pynñabynta ĩa ki ha ki lai bynta bad kita ki long: (A) *Reserved Forests* (B) *National Parks and Wildlife Sanctuaries* bad (C) *Ki Protected Forests*.

Ki *Reserved Forest* ne ki khlaw ba la tyngkai kyrpang da ka Sorkar, kumba long mynta ki don baroh haduh 23 tylli bad la kdew ĩa ki bad ka jingheh jong ki ha ka **Table 1**.

Nalor kine, ka Sorkar kan sa pynlong *Reserved Forest* ĩa ka Nongumñang kaba heh 0.31 *sq. kms* bad ĩa ka Gittingri kaba heh 2.40 *sq. kms*.

# KHYNDIAT ĪA KA MEGHALAYA BAD ĪA KI KHLAW KI BTAP JONG KA

Ki *National Parks* ki don ar tylli bad ki *Wildlife Sanctuaries* pat ki don lai tylli bad kita ki long:

1. Ka *Balpakram National Park* (Ka jaka buh tyngkai ĩa ki mrad khlaw ĩa kaba la bei pisa da ka Sorkar India), ka heh haduh 220 *sq.kms*. Ka Sorkar ka la dep thied ruh sa 132 *sq.kms* ka jakaban nang pynheh shuh shuh ĩa kane ka *Park*.
2. Ka *Nokrek National Park* kaba heh 47.48 *sq kms*.

**Table 1: Ki Reserved Forests hapoh Meghalaya**

SI	Kyrteng ka Reserved Forest	Ka Jingheh (Area)
1.	Ka Saipung Reserved Forest	150.30 <i>sq.kms</i> .
2.	Ka Narpuh Reserved Forest Block – I	62.42 <i>sq.kms</i> .
3.	Ka Narpuh Reserved Forest Block – II	98.68 <i>sq.kms</i> .
4.	Ka Riat Khwan Reserved Forest	3.91 <i>sq.kms</i> .
5.	Ka Shyrwat Reserved Forest	0.44 <i>sq.kms</i> .
6.	Ka Riat Laban Reserved Forest	2.05 <i>sq.kms</i> .
7.	Ka Nongkhylllem Reserved Forest	125.91 <i>sq.kms</i> .
8.	Ka Umsaw Reserved Forest	0.44 <i>sq.kms</i> .
9.	Ka Chimabongshi Reserved Forest	23.28 <i>sq.kms</i> .
10.	Ka Dhima Reserved Forest	20.72 <i>sq.kms</i> .
11.	Ka Rajasimla Reserved Forest	18.13 <i>sq.kms</i> .
12.	Ka Dilma Reserved Forest	2.59 <i>sq.kms</i> .
13.	Ka Ildek Reserved Forest	2.59 <i>sq.kms</i> .
14.	Ka Durugiri Reserved Forest	10.36 <i>sq.kms</i> .
15.	Ka Ronrengiri Reserved Forest	36.26 <i>sq.kms</i> .
16.	Ka Dambu Reserved Forest	18.13 <i>sq.km</i> .
17.	Ka Songsak Reserved Forest	23.31 <i>sq.kms</i> .
18.	Ka Dibru Hills Reserved Forest	15.02 <i>sq.kms</i> .
19.	Ka Tura Peak Reserved Forest	4.19 <i>sq.kms</i> .
20.	Ka Baghmara Reserved Forest	43.91 <i>sq.kms</i> .
21.	Ka Angratoli Reserved Forest	30.11 <i>sq.kms</i> .
22.	Ka Rawak Reserved Forest	6.47 <i>sq.kms</i> .
23.	Ka Emangiri Reserved Forest	8.29 <i>sq.kms</i> .
24.	Siju Reserved Forest	5.18 <i>sq.kms</i> .

Ki *Wildlife Sanctuaries* ki dei ki jaka tyngkai ĩa ki mrad khlaw ba la bei pisa da ka Sorkar jylla bad kita ki long: -

1. Ka *Nongkhylllem Wildlife Sanctuary* kaba heh 29 *sq.kms*.
2. Ka *Siju Wildlife Sanctuary* kaba heh 5.18 *sq.kms* bad ka
3. *Baghmara Pitcher Plant Sanctuary* (Ka jaka tyngkai ĩa ki Tiew Rakot) kaba heh 0.02 *sq.kms*.

Ka *Lady Hydari Park*, kaba don ha Sor Shillong pat ka dei ka jaka ri mrad khlaw kaba rit ne ka *Mini Zoo*.



Ki *Protected Forests* ne ki khlaw ba la ïada kyrpang jong ka Sorkar, ki don san tylli bad kita ki long:

1. Ka *Upper Shillong Protected Forest* kaba heh 7.66 sq.kms.
2. Ka *Short Round Protected Forest* kaba heh 1.13 sq.kms.
3. Ka *Laitkor Protected Forest* kaba heh 3.25 sq.kms.
4. Ka *Umkhuti Protected Forest* kaba heh 0.14 sq.kms.
5. Ka *Green Block No.2* kaba heh 0.21 sq.kms.

Ki jaka khlaw kiba don hapoh ka *Campus* jong ka *North Eastern Hill University* baroh ki heh kumba 3 sq. kms. Ki jaka khlaw kiba don hapoh ka ka *Ministry of Defence* kiba don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya baroh ki heh kumba 4 sq. kms.

Ki jingheh jong ki jaka khlaw kiba don hapoh ka jylla haba la kheiflang baroh ki khlaw Sorkar, ki khlaw *District Council* kata ïa ka *Khasi Hills Autonomous District Council*, Ka *Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council* bad ka *Garo Hills Autonomous District Council* bad ki *Private Forests* katkumba don ha ka *Record* ba la buh da ka *Forest Department* ka heh haduh 8638.312 sq. kms.

Ha *Khasi Hills* bad *Garo Hills* ki don ki khlaw kiba la buh khnang ban tyngkai bad pynneh pynsah ïa ki mrad khlaw. Hynrei ha *Jaintia Hills* te ym don tang kawei ruh ka khlaw kaba la buh khnang ban tyngkai ïa ki mrad khlaw. Katkum ka jingtip ba la ïoh lum na u *Divisional Forest Officer*, *Jaintia Hills Wildlife Division*, Jowai, ka *Saipung Reserved Forest* ka heh haduh 150.35 sq.kms., ka *Narpuh Reserved Forest Block -- I* ka heh haduh 62.46 sq.kms, bad ka *Narpuh Reserved Forest Block -- II* pat ka heh haduh 98.68 sq.kms. La ïathuh ruh ha une u Nongthoh ba la dep *Survey* ïa ka jaka kaba don hapdeng ka *Saipung Reserved Forest* bad ka *Narpuh Reserved Forest* kaba heh haduh 128 sq.kms, bad la jer kyrteng ïa kane ka jaka ka “*Corridor*”. Kane ka *Corridor* kan long kum ka lynti ha kaba ki mrad khlaw na *Saipung Reserved Forest* bad *Narpuh Reserved Forest* kin lah ban ïaid na kawei ka khlaw sha kawei pat ka khlaw. La ïathuh ruh ba na ka ophis jong u *Divisional Forest Officer*, *Jaintia Hills Wildlife Division*, ba ki la dep phah ïa ka jingthoh sha ki bor Sorkar ba kham haneng ban shim ïa katei ka jaka ba la jer kyrteng “*Corridor*”, khnang ban dup lah ban buh kawei ka *Wildlife Sanctuary* ne ka khlaw ban buh tyngkai ban pynneh pynsah ïa ki mrad khlaw hapoh *Jaintia Hills District*. La khmih lynti ba ka Sorkar kan leh ïa kaba donkam, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ïa ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh ba bun jaid bunsker jong kane ka *District*, kiba don mynta ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid bad lah ban jah mgai na kane ka sla pyrthei.

Ha *West Khasi Hills District* ruh, wat la ka long kaba don bun ki ‘lawbah ‘lawsan, hynrei hangne lei lei ym don tang kawei ruh ka *Reserved Forest* jong ka Sorkar. ïa ka *Wildlife Sanctuary* ban ïakren ruh ym pat long. Hynrei, wat la katta ruh, kan bha shibun lada ka sorkar kan pynlong *Reserved Forest* ïa ki khlaw ba don sha thaiñ *Ranikor* bad ban buh de kawei ka *Wildlife Sanctuary* hangne; khnang ban dup lah ban tyngkai bad ban pynneh pynsah ïa ki mrad ki mreng bad ïa ki sim ki doh ba la jan duh jaid jong kane ka thaiñ. Ka la dei ruh ka por ban buh noh ïa ki *Birds Sanctuary* ne ki khlaw ban tyngkai ïa ki sim ki doh ha baroh ki *District* bad ki *Civil Sub – Division* khnang ban dup lah ban tyngkai bad ban pynneh pynsan ïa ki laiphew jaid laiphew sker ki sim ki doh kiba don ha kylleng satlak ka Meghalaya; namar, mynta ki la don ha tmier ka riat jong ka jingduh jingdam noh na sla ka pyrthei. Lada ka sorkar bad ki paidbah baroh kin nym leh ei ei mynta, ki longdien, lashai lashisngi, kin shu bna tang ka nam shaphang kita ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh.

Ka la dei ruh ka por ba ka Sorkar Jylla lyngba ka *Forest Department*, ba kan buh noh sa kawei ka tnat treikam ïa kaba yn jer kyrteng, “*Breeding in Captivity of all the Endangered Animals and*

*Birds of the State*". Ia ki tnat ophis jong kane ka tnat treikam thymmai jong ka *Forest Department* ruh dei ban buh ha baroh ki *District* ba don hapoh ka jylla. Kane ka tnat treikam bathymmai ka dei ban faleh ban pynkharoi ya ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh ba la jan duh jaid. Ynda ki la roi pat, lah ban pyllait biang ya ki sha ki khlaw ki btap ba don hapoh ka jylla, bad dei ruh ban ai jinghikai ya ki paidbah ba ka long kaba sniew bad kan ktah ne pynshitom ya ngi hi ki bried lada baroh ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh kin duh kin dam noh na sla pyrthei.

Dei ruh ban pynsgewthuh ya ki bried, ba, ya baroh ki jingri jingdup ba u khun bynriew u don, nyingkong ki la ioh ya ki na ki khlaw ki btap. Kumta, ha ka jakaban pyniap pathar ya ki mrad ki mreng ne ki sim ki doh, ki dei ban faleh ban ri ya ki hapoh ki jingker, ya baroh kito ki mrad bad ki sim kiba ngim pat ju ri mynta. Lada ngin faleh shitom, khlem pep ngin jop bad yn sa mih ki *millionaire* da kaba trei kum ya kine ki kam bad lada ki lah ban ri da ki hajar ki Skei bad kiwei kiwei ki mrad bad ki sim ba ki bried kibang ban bam bad sa leit die ha iew ha hat ya ka doh jong ki. Hynrei, dei ban kynmaw ha kaba sdang, la ha kano kano ka kam, la ju sdang na kaba rit bad kan sa heh sa khraw hi ynda dei ka por. Kumta, kiba kwah ban ri ia ki Mynthna ne ki Masi-prut, ki Sier, ki Skei, ki Bthong, ki Khiat, ki Blang khlaw, ki Niangkhlaw, ki Risang, ki Ksih, ki Ksar, ki Kui, ki Dngiem, ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw, ki Huleng, ki Tyripud, ki Kyrbei, ki Phyllad, ki Dyngkhied, ki Thabrai bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad ki lah ban leh kumta da kaba ri shwa ar ne saw tylli shynrang bad kynthei hapoh ka jingker ba laker pynskhem bha. Ki nongri ya kine ki jaid mrad ki dei ruh ban pan jingiarap na ka *Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Department*, khnang ba ka jingpyrshang jong ki kan long kaba jop. Une u nongthoh u la iohi ba ha Shnong Saipung don kawei ka iing ba ioh kem ia iwei i khun Khiat bad ki ri ia ita i khun khiat, i la san la heh hynrei, uta u trai nongri u khlem ioh pat ia i khiat kynthei, kumta u iathuh ba un sa thied da ki blang kynthei bad un sa pynshongkha bad uta u Khiat. Na kane ka jingiohi ka la pynlong ya une u nongthoh ban pyrkhath ba ia kiwei kiwei ki mrad khlaw ruh lah ban ri lada ngi ki bried ngi kwah shisha ban ri ia ki.

Ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television* ki ju pyni ya ki bried ha Amerikabad kiwei kiwei ki ri, ba ki ri wat ia ki Khla, ki Sing, ki Tngaw, ki Dngiem, ki Suri, ki Myrsiang bad kiwei kiwei ki mrad wat ia ki *Crocodile* bad *Giraffe* ruh. Khnang ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki mrad ki mreng, ka la dei ka por ban ngin sdang noh ban ri ia ki, kumba ngi ri ia kiwei pat ki jingri ba ngi la ioh pateng na ki longshwa ki manshwa.

Namarba ka Meghalaya ka long kaba bun ki khlaw ki btap, kumta ruh ka don bun jaid bunsker ki laiphew mrad ki laiphew mreng kiba im bad ba shong ba sah hapoh kine ki khlaw. Kine ki lynnong kiba bud ki kren shaphang katto katne ki mrad khlaw naduh kiba heh tam haduh kiba rit tam kiba don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya, ia kiba nga la ioh lum jingtip katba lah katba lai.

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## Lynnong 2

### KI HATI

Ki Hati ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jainita, kum ki Hati hi. Ha Langrin ki khot ĩa ki ki *ĭaw-baw*. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki *Saipul*. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki *Mongma*. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Elephants* ne ki *Pachydrem* lane ki *Jumbo*.

Ki Hati ki long ki mrad saw kjat bad ki long ruh kiba heh tam napdeng ki mrad ryngkew baroh. ĩa ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ka da ka snieh ba lam song, ba rben bad ba jwat. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bha bad ba lam at pyllun. U ryndang jong ki, u long uba lyngkot bad ba rben bha. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba lyngkot bad ba syriem ĩa ka dur ki paĭa ne ki rishot. U shĭiuh u mih ĭiar bha halor ka met jong ki. Ki don uwei u tdong uba rit, ba jrong bad ha kliar jong u tdong don u shĭiuh ba saphum. Da u tdong ki kaweh ban beh ĩa ki skaiñ bad ĩa kiwei kiwei ki khĭiang kiba rit, kiba don thapniang kiba pynwit ĩa ki. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba rit bad ar tylli ki shkor kiba heh, ba stang bad ba lam pyllun. Ki don uwei u luta uba jrong bha ĩa uba ki pyndonkam kum ka kti. Da u luta ki lah ban tam na khyndew wat ĩa ka pisa nar ba shityngka ruh! Ha kajuĭ ka rukom, da u luta hi, ki lah ban rah wat ĩa ki dieng kiba heh ruh! Ki Hati ba la san ki dih um da kaba kjit shwa ĩa ka um hapoh u luta jong ki bad ki sa bsuh ĩa u luta hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, khnang ba kin ĩoh dih ĩa kata ka um. Ki khun Hati pat ki dih um da kaba jliaĭ ĩa ka um da u thyllej jong ki. Ki Hati haba ki bam jingbam ruh, la ĩa u phlang, ka lakait ne ĩa kano kano ka jingbam, nyingkong ki shim ĩa ka jingbam da u luta bad ki sa thep ĩa kata ka jingbam hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, khnang ba kin dup ĩoh ban bam.

Ki Hati shynrang ki ju mih ar tyllĭ ki bniat narud u luta jong ki. Ki bniat ki long kiba pyllun, ba jrong, ba lam kdor bad ka kliar ne khmut jong ki bniat ka long kaba nep har har. Ki pyndonkam ĩa ki bniat ha kaba ĩada ĩalade, ban tih ĩa ka snep dieng khnang ban lah ban khoh ĩa ka, ba kin dup ĩoh ban bam bad ban ĩakhun ne ĩaleh pyrshah para Hati shynrang, khnang ban ĩoh long heh ne nongĭalam hapdeng ka kynhun ki Hati shynrang.

ĩa ki Hati ba mih tang kawei ka bniat la khot ĩa ki ha ka ktien Dkhar, “*Ki Ganesĭ*”. ĩa ki Hati shynrang ki bym mih bniat pat la khot ĩa ki ha ka ktien Dkhar, “*Ki Makna*”. Ki Hati shynrang kiba don bniat, ki mih bniat naduh ka por ba kha ĩa ki bad ki bniat ruh ki paw tang tiak ha ka por ba kha ĩa ki. Katba ki nangheh nangsana, ki bniat jong ki ruh ki nangheh bad nangjrong. Katba kito ki Hati shynrang ki bymdon bniat pat naduh ka por ba kha ĩa ki, kin nym mih bniat satia, wat ynda ki la san ruh. ĩa ki bniat yn sa batai kham bniah hadien bad kumno ki long ka daw ba kongsan ba la pynlong ĩa ki Hati ban don ha tmier jong ka jingduĭ jaid.

U Bah S. B. Dohkhrut u la ĩathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la kham slem bha mynta, u kynum jong u, u Bah Gregory Gatphoh (Bam kwai ha dwar u Blei), ĩa uba la ju khot ieid u Ma Krek bad uba ju long ruh uwei na ki nongsiat Hati ba pawnam jong ka Jaintia Hills ha ka por ba u dang im. Shisien, u la leit ban siat ĩa uwei u Hati *Ganesĭ* (U Hati ba don tang kawei ka bniat) sha shnong Tangnub, kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Sutnga, namarba, uta u Hati u la pynjutor ĩa ka rep ka riang jong ki briew ba shong ba shah ha ka shnong Tangnub. Ha ka por ba u leit siat ĩa uta u Hati, u Ma Krek u la leit ryngkat bad uwei u trai shnong. Hadien ba ki la buddien ĩa uta u Hati kumba katto katne por ki la lap ĩa u, bad u Ma Krek u la siat ar kuli, hynrei, uta u Hati u khlem kyllon bad u la beh krad ĩa ki. U Ma Krek u la kdiah ĩa ka *rifle* jong u ban ĩoh thep kuli biang hynrei, kam kdiah satia namar ba ka la *jam*. Kumta, ki la Taphet krad bad poi harud kawei ka synrang, ka bym da jylliew eh bad kaba don katto katne tylli ki siej harud jong ka. Haba uta u Hati u la jan poi sha ki, u Ma Krek u la ong , “To,

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“aryngkoh noh shapoh synrang”, bad ki la ia ryngkoh lang. Ha ka por ba ki ia ryngkoh, ka *rifle* ka la hap shapoh synrang bad u Ma Krek ruh u la hap lang sha trai synrang. Ha kata ka jinghap, kata ka jingjam ne ka jingbym kdiah ka *rifle* ruh ka la lait noh. Hynrei, u paralok jong u, ha ka jingkyrkieh ban ryngkoh shapoh synrang, ka siej ka la ioh ban woh na ka *coat* ne ka sopti lor lane ka sopti kud jong u, bad u la neh kumba sdien ha kawei na kita ka siej. U Ma Krek u la thep kuli biang bad dei ha ka por ba uta u Hati u dang pyrshang ban kynjoh ia uta u paralok jong u da u luta, ba u Ma Krek u la ioh ban siat jling na ka shkor uta u Hati bad u la kyllon iap hashen.

Ki Hati jaid heh ba la san pura bha ki jrong - na ka slajat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki - shiphew phut. Ki Hati kynthei pat ki jrong hapteng 7 bad 8 phut. Ki Hati jaid rit pat ki jrong tang hapoh 5 phut. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki Hati, “**Ki Mongma**”. Ia ki Hati jaid rit la lap ba ki don tang ha ka *Nokrek Range* bad u lum Nokrek, uba long u lum ba jrong tam ha Garo Hills u don hangne. Namarba ki Hati ba don hangne ki long kiba lyngkot bha, kumta ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki “**Mongma Bone**”, kaba mut ki Hati khyndai khup lane ki *Dwarf Elephants*. “**Mongma**” ka mut u Hati bad “**Bone**” pat ka mut khyndai khup. Ki Hati kiba fiar eh ban lap ki dei ki *White Elephants* ne ki Hati lieh. Ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills kat shaba kylli, ki iathuh ba ym don ki Hati lieh ha kine ki lum jong ngi. Hynrei, ha Garo Hills ki don ki biew kiba la iohi ia kine ki jaid Hati lieh. Kito kiba la iohi ki iathuh ba ju don uwei u Hati lieh, ha ka kynhun kaba heh bha jong ki Hati bhur. Ka kynhun ba heh bha jong ki Hati bhur ka kynthup ia kiba bun tylli ki kynhun ba rit jong ki Hati kiba ia iaid lang ban wad jingbam na kawei ka jaka sha kawei pat. Ia kine ki Hati lieh ki Garo ki khot ki, “**Mongma Gipok**”. Ki Hati lieh ki dei ki Hati kiba la ioh ia ka jingpang ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng “*Albinism*”, kaba pynlong ia ka snieh doh ban lieh blaid blaid bad ia u shñiuh ruh ban long uba lieh. Katba kiba bun pat ki Hati ki long kiba lam byr-iong bthuh ka rong. Ia kum kine ki Hati lieh la lap ba ki don ruh ha ri Myanmar (Burma), Loas, Cambodia bad ha ri Thailand. Yn sa batai pat hadien kham bniah shaphang ki Hati lieh.

Kumba 50 snem tam mynshuwa, ki Hati hapoh Jaintia Hills District ki jyllei bha sha ki thairi Myndihati, Narpuh, Garompani, Saipung, Khaddum, Lama Lakadong, Khanduli, Lapangap, sha thairi Prang, Huroi bad Hingkaria. Hynrei, kumba long mynta pat, ki Hati ha Jaintia Hills ki la jan duh jaid, na ka daw ba la pyniāp pathar bad dusmon ia ki da ki biew, namar ki bniat ba remdor jong ki bad don ruh ki biew ba bam ia ka doh jong ki Hati. Ka jingduna jong ki Hati hapoh Jaintia Hills ka long ruh na ka daw ba ia ki khlaw ki btap kiba long ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki, la pynduh pyndam bad la dakhoh ia ki da ki biew ban shna shnong shna thaw bad ban shna ia ki jaka rep jaka riang de. Kumta, kito ki Hati kiba lait na ka jingshah pyniāp, ki la phet krad noh sha *Karbi Anglong District* bad *North Cachar Hills District* jong ka jylla Assam. Kumba long mynta, ia ki Hati ha Jaintia Hills lah ban shem ia ki sa tang sha ki khlaw ba don sha thairi Prang, ha u lum Sunaraja bad ha ki khlaw ba don marjan bad une u lum, sha thairi Khaddum, sha thairi Huroi bad Hingkaria. Ka jingdon jong ki ruh ka long sa tang khyndiat eh! Ki dang kham bun hapoh *Block – I* bad *Block – II*, kiba long ki jaka ba don hapoh ka jingiakhaja pud hapteng ka jylla Assam bad Meghalaya. Katkum ka *Census* ne ka khana samari ba la pynlong da ka ophis jong ka *Divisional Forest Officer, Jaintia Hills Wildlife Division*, Jowai ha ka snem 1993, ha baroh ki khlaw ba don hapoh Jaintia Hills khnang ban lap ia ka jingdon ki Hati hapoh ka District, la shem ba ki Hati hapoh Jaintia Hills ki don baroh sa tang arphew tylli! Kane ka pyni shai kdar ba ki Hati hapoh Jaintia Hills ki la don ha tmier ka riat jong ka jingduh jaid, lada ki nongshong shnong jong ka District bad ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* kim iatrei lang ban ialeh ban pynneh pynsah ia ki. Haba pynlong ia ka jingthoh *census* ia ki Hati, la fiiew beit katno khlieh ki don bad ynda la dep fiiew ki sa tip katno tylli ki don. Ym kumba thoh *census* ia ki khla ba hap ban bishar bad fiiew ia ki dienjat jong ki, khnang ban tip katno tylli ki khla ki don.

Ha Khasi Hills, ki Hati ki dang bun ha *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, ha *Umsaw Reserve Forest*, ha baroh ar liang ha sdah jong ka wah Kynshi bad wah Blei, sha thaifi Ranikor bad shawei de ki jaka. Ha Garo Hills ki dang bun bah hapoh *Balpakram National Park*, ki don ruh sha thaifi Baghmara, Williamnagar, *Nokrek Range* bad shawei de ki jaka. Hynrei, lada ki trai shnong bad ki brieve jong ka *Forest Department* kim ia trei shitom ban khang ia ka jingwan kiew jong ki nongsiat klep ia ki Hati kiba wan na kiwei pat ki jylla na ka bynta ki bniat ba rem dor jong ki, te, yn ym slem katno eh ba ki Hati ba don hapoh Meghalaya kin duh kin dam noh bad jah rngai na kane ka pyrthei.

Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki Hati don ki bniat kiba heh bad rben bha, ia kiba ki pyndonkam ha kaba ktha ia ki jingbam ba ki bam. Ki Hati, bunsien ki kylla runar na ka daw ba ki bniat jong ki, ki la bam khniang. Ha ka por ba ki pang bniat, ka long kaba ma ban ia kynduh ia ki, namar, ha kaba kum kane ka por ki long kiba dom riang bha.

Ki Hati ba la san ki long ruh kiba khlaifi bha ban ham. Katkumba la iathuh da uwei u *Mahut* ha une u Nongthoh ha ka por ba u la leit khwai sha ka wah Kupli, uta u *Mahut* u dang pyntan ia ki dieng kiba heh harud ka wah Kupli ha u snem 1982. Uta u *Mahut* u la iathuh ba uwei u Hati u lah ban bam haduh 250 kilo ne tam ka jingbam ha ka shisngi. Namarkata, ki Hati khlaw, lada ki iadon da ki spah tylli kin donkam ia ka jaka wad jingbam kaba heh bha bad iar bha da ki spah mail. Ha ka por ba ki krih jaka na kawei ka jaka sha kawei pat ban wad jingbam, lah ban iohi bun tylli ki Hati kiba iaid lang. Ha kaba kum kane ka por, don bun tylli ki kynhun Hati bapher bapher ba iaid ryngkat bad kumta lah ban khot ia ki, ki Hati bhur. Katkum ka jingbatai ba une u nongthoh u la ioh lum na kawei ka *programme* ba la pyini ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, “Ki Hati khlaw ki iaid haduh shipew mail ban wad jingbam man ka sngi.”

“Ki Hati ba na ka juh ka kynhun wat lada ki iakhlad tang hapdeng katto katne kynta ruh, ynda ki la iakynduh biang ki ia pdiang sngewbha iwei ia iwei pat, da kaba syrpu kyliang da la ki jong ki luta. Lada ka jingiakynduh ka long hadien bun sngi, kata ka jingiakynduh ka long kaba dap da ka jingkmn bad ka jinghylla, namar ki pynkhih ia la ki shkor bad ki pah jam da la ki jong ki luta, “kreng-kreng-kreng”. Nangta ki ktah bad syrpu da la ki jong ki luta iwei ia iwei pat. Haba duna jingbam, ki Hati ba na kajuh ka kynhun ki hap ban iakhlad ha ki kynkhun ba kham rit, khnang ba kin suk ban wad jingbam. Ia kane ka bynta, une u nongthoh u la ioh ban lum na kawei ka *programme* ba la pyini ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

Ki Hati ki bam da u phlang, ki sla dieng, ka snep jong ki katto katne ki jaid dieng, ka lakait bad kiba kum kita ki jaid jingbam. Ia u pathaw, lada ki ioh, ki ktha ia u kumba ktha sohphlang. Ki bang ban bam ia u Bseifi rali lane Thlen lum (u len lum lane u *python*). Ki long ki nongshun jong u Thlen. Ki pyniap ia ki Bseifi, hynrei, kim jubam ia ka doh jong ki.

“Ki Hati ki long kiba shah synshar ha ka kynthei, ka nongialam jong ki ka long ka Hati kynthei ba la tymmen, kaba heh tam bad ba stad tam napdeng jong ki. Ka kynkhun Hati barabor ka kynthup ar ne saw tylli ki Hati kynthei ba la san pura bha, katto katne tylli ki Hati ba dangkhie dangsan bad ki khun jong ki. Ka kynhun Hati ka lah ban don hapdeng saw tylli ne haduh shipew tylli. Ia ki Hati shynrang ba la khie samla, la beh noh na ka kynhun jong ki, khnang ban lait na ka jingiashongkha ba na ka juh ka kynhun kiba dang don jingiadei kaba dang iajan bha. Kumta, ki Hati shynrang ynda ki la samla, ki hap ban im para Hati shynrang. Ki Hati shynrang ba la san la samla ki iakynduh bad ki Hati kynthei tang ha ka por iapoikha poiman”. Ia kane ka bynta ruh la ioh lum na kawei ka *programme* ba la pyini ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

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Ka kynhun Hati ka long kaba ña tylli bha bad ki ñeng lang ban pynlong ka jingñada na kano kano ka jingma. Tangba, na ka jingheh jong ka met jong ki hi, ka pynlong ña kiban lait na kano kano ka jingma na kiwei pat ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ña ka doh jong kiwei pat ki para mrad. Hynrei ki khun Hati ki long kiba don ha ka jingma: namar ki khla-wah-larein ne ki 'la-kyrwang ne kumba khot ki Garo ki **Matcha – Chidwal** (*Royal Bengal Tiger*) ki ju buddien ña ki kynhun Hati ba don khunrit, bad lada ita i khun Hati i kum ñaid bakla bad ka kmie kam ñohi, te in shah pynñap bad shah bam ha ki 'La – kyrwang'. Namarkata, barabor ka kmie ka peit phikir bha ña ka ñaid ka ñeng jong i khun jong ka. Lada i khun Hati i ñaid lait na ka kynhun, ka kmie ka khyñfiat ña i suki jai ba in dup ñaid ha ka lynti ba dei ban ñaid. Bunsien hi, ña ki khun Hati la pynñaid ña ki hapdeng jong ka kynhun Hati.

U Bah S.D. Dohkhrut u la ñathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba shisien (la kham bun snem) katba u dang khwai ha ka wah Lukha, u la ñohi ba kawei ka Hati bad la i khun ki ña jam ne klan sha shiliang kata ka wah. Khnang ban ñada ña i khun ba in nym shah rong arsut ha ka lat-lat jong ka wah, ka kmie ka khyñfiat ña i khun kham shaneng jong ka wah bad ñalade pat ka ñaid kham narum jong ka wah bad ynda ki ña kynduh biang, ka khyñfiat biang ña i khun kumba ka la leh ha kaba nyngkong bad ka ñai leh ña kane haduh ba kin da lait sha shiliang jong kata ka wah.

"Haba don i khun Hati i ba dkoh, ki Hati jong kata ka kynhun baroh ki ñarap ña ita i khun. Wat la kin hap ban sah miet kin leh kumta khnang ba ita i khun Hati in ñohbor bad ki ñaleh ban pynpoi ña i haduh ka jaka ba ki la thmu ban leit. Ki pynñaid ruh ña i khun Hati ba dkoh napoh kteh, khnang ba kata ka jingdkoh kan jem kloï. Kane ka kynhun Hati ka leit poi ha kawei ka jaka hapoh khlaw, ba don ka shynrong khlieh jong uwei u Hati ba la ñap. Baroh kita ki Hati ki pyndeï da u luta jong ki ha kata ka shynrong khlieh hashwa ba kin leit noh shawei. La pyni ruh ña ki ar tylli ki Hati shynrang kiba dangkhie samla kiba ña tynjuh bor hapdeng jong ki. Katkum ka jingbatai, u nongjop ha kane ka jingñakhun un long u nongjop baroh shirta. Bad uba rem un kynmaw sah ña kata ka jingrem jong ubaroh shi jingim". ña kane ka bynta une u Nongthoh u la ñohi bad ñohsngew ruh ña ka jingbatai ha kawei na ka jingpyni ña ki Hati khlaw ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, ha ka por 9:20 baje mynmiet ha ka 12 – 7 – 1998.

Ki Hati ki dih um hapdeng 25 gallon bad 50 gallon ka um ha ka shisngi. Ki Hati ki ju sleh ña ka met jong ki da u pum pum. Wat la ka snieh jong ki ka long kaba rben, hynrei, don ki bynta kiba ki khñfiang ki lah ban pynshitom ña ki; kumta, ki sleh da u pum pum ban ñada ña lade.

"Kane ka dei ka jingñathuh khana shaphang saw tylli ki Hati bad kumno ki la kñia ña la ka jingim, khnang ba iwei na kiba rit jong ki in lah ban im. Ki Hati ki long kiba jur bah ka jingieit ña la ka kynhun. Kiba rit ki lah ban ñoh ña ka jingñada lang, ña kiba la mynsaw ym ju ieh noh ña ki. Ka la jia kum bym don ka jingphylla haba saw tylli ki Hati ba la san pura ki la pynlong ña ka kynroh kaba im (*Living wall*) ban ñada ña u khun Hati, uba, ka kjat jong u, ka la sah kut ha ka lynti ba ñaid ki rel ba sted bha (*high speed rail line*), kaba ñaid lyngba ka ri jong ki Hati ha ka lynti ban leit sha Dehradun. Kim shym la kynran katba kawei na kiba bun ki rel *express* ka la kyrhuh ha ka jingsted kaba palat ña ka 100 Km/ph bad ka la tynrah ña ki. Ki nongñada ki la ñap lut hynrei i khun Hati i la lait im. U la im laithuid mynta hapoh ka *Chilla Wildlife Sanctuary*. Kane ka pyni ba kita ki Hati India ki don ha ka jingñalethma. "Katba ki rel ba stet ki nang long kiba ki briew ki sngewtynnad ban shong, kum kine ki jingjulong ne jingñap kin nang ñai kiew" la ong ka Christy Williams, kaba long ka nongwad bniah shaphang ka jingim bad jinglong jong ki Hati, kaba la buh da ka jingthoh sa ña ar tylli kiwei pat ki jingñap ki Hati ha ka juh ka lynti rel. La khmih lynti ba kham bun shuh ki jingñathuhkhana shaphang ki kam shlur jong ki Hati kin sa paw". La sot ña kane ka bynta ba la thoh haneng na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka *India Today Magazine*, kaba la mih ha ka 31 tarik u bnai *August*, 1998 ha ka sla 73.

U Bah K. Darnei uba na ka shnong Moolase, kaba don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship bad uba long ruh u *Licensing Officer* bad *Special Officer* jong ka *Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council*, u la fathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha ka por mynshwa, haba ki Hati ki dang jyilei bha hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, ki briew ki ju siat ia ki Hati da ki suloi tynsah ba la thep lang bad u nar sum, bad ynda siat uta u nar sum u rung hapoh met u Hati. Kumta, u Hati u shu mynsaw bad um iap ha shen kumba siat da ka *rifle*. Haba u Hati u shah siat ha kane ka rukom, u la mynsaw bad kyllon na kato ka jingshah siat. Kiwei pat ki Hati ki iawan ban pynieng ia uta Hati ba la mynsaw, bad ki ia kyrshan lang bad ialam ia u kat shaba ki leit. Kim ju iehnoh ia u Hati ba la mynsaw bad ynda u iap ki ju tap ia ka met jong u da ki tnad dieng ba don sla.

Ki Hati ki long kiba sngewtynnad ban ia-iaid ha ka kynhun. Hynrei, u Hati Sawkuna ia uba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng, "*Rogue - Elephant*" pat, um ju iakhleh bad um ju ia-iaid lang bad ka kynhun Hati. U Hati Sawkuna u iaid u ieng marwei hi bad u long ruh u Hati uba runar bad ba ma tam ban ia kynduh. Kawei ka kjat ba shadien jong u, ka rit khyndiat bad lam ring dkoh de. Naduh ba dang kha la ithuh kaei ba un sa long na ka jinglong kawei na ki kjat ba shadien jong u. Kumta, u mar ia iehnoh ban buin, la beh noh ia u na ka kynhun jong u bad u sa im marwei hi baroh shi jingim. Ki Hati ki kylla dakaaid ruh na ka daw ba ki bnai ba don hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, ki la bam khñiang. "Ki Hati shynrang ba la san ki lah ruh ban kylla runar bad dakaaid lada ki ioh ia ka jingpang ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng, "*Musth*". Kane ka jingpang ka jia namar ba jur ka jingkieu jong ki *sex hormones* haduh laiphew shah ia kaba ju long. U mrad u pyni ki dak ki shin ba bun jait haba u long kumne, kum ka jingjur jong ka jingkwah jong u ban ioh paralok kynthet ban ia don ryngkat, u shoh bad pynmysaw ia kiwei pat ki para Hati shynrang ki bymtreh ban leh ia ka mon jong u bad u long ruh uba isih ia ki briew".

"Ka aiom jong kane ka jingpang *Musth* ka sdang naduh u bnai Risaw (*October*) bad neh haduh ban da kut ka tlang. Ki trai Hati kiba khuslai, bunsien ki ud shaphang ki mrad jong ki, ba ki ju bthat ia ki kynjri ba la teh ia ki khnang ba kin laitluid, ki pynlong ka jingpynjulong ia ki mar ki mata bad ki pynmysaw ne hiar thma ruh ia ki briew. Ka dawai ba ki *doctor* mrad ki ju ai ia ki Hati ba pang *Musth* ki dei ki dawai ba shu pyndih ba kin long jai jai ia kiba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng "*Sedative*" bad ki "*Anti Sex Hormones*". Ia kane ka bynta ba iadei bad ki jingpang *Musth* la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor "*The Meghalaya Guardian*" ba la mih ha ka 25 tarik u November 1998.

U Ma Dwor Mukhim uba ju shong mynshwa ha ka shnong Umladang, bad mynta pat u shong ha ka shnong Ummulong, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha ka jingim jong u, u la siat lai tylli ki Hati. Ar tylli ki Hati, uwei u shynrang bad kawei ka kynthet, u la siat ia ki hapoh ka lyngkha jong u hi, kaba don hajan ka shnong Umladang namar ba ki bam kba hapoh ka lyngkha jong u.

U Hati balai bad ba khadduh ba u la siat u dei u Hati Sawkuna. Une u Hati u la pyniap ia uwei u briew ba shong halor ka lakyndang ne ka rynsan, ba la thaw halor u dieng ban ioh beh ia ki mrad ba wan ban bam kba lane ban ap ia ki mrad khnang ban ioh ban siat ia ki. Ia kane ka lakyndang ne rynsan ha ka ktien Garo la khot ia ka ka **Borang**. Ha ka ktien Hindi la khot ia ka ka **Machan** bad ia kane ka ktien **Machan**, la pyndonkam ruh ia ka ha ka ktien Phareng katkumba la thoh ha ka *Chambers English Dictionary*. Uta u briew uba la shah pyniap u dei uba na ka shnong Thadrang, kaba don sha shiliang jong ka wah Mynkhen. Dei ha ka por ba u dang shong halor kata ka rynsan kaba don hajan ka lyngkha jong u, ba la wan poi uta u Hati Sawkuna. Kumta u la pyrta bad hylla khnang ba uta u Hati un phet noh namar ba um don suloi ban siat ia u. Hynrei, uta u Hati ha ka jaka ba un phet u la leit beit beit sha trai uta u dieng, ha kaba uta u briew u shong bad namar ba uta u dieng u long u bym

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da heh eh, kumta uta u Hati u la pynkhih ya u sha ka mon bad sha ka diang, shadien bad shakhmat bad tang shipor uta u dieng u la kyllon bad uta u briew ruh u la hap nalar dieng bad u la iap hashen.

Hadien kane ka jingjia, uta u Hati Sawkuna u la poi sha shnong Umladang bad u la bam ya u kba na kawei ka iing kaba don hajan ka iing u Bah Dwor Mukhim. Ia u kba la buh hapoh u thiar bad la kli da u shylliah. Namarba kata ka iing ka dei ka iing trep, te kumta ym don jingeh ya uta u Hati ban ioh rung bad ban bam ya uta u kba. Ha trai uta u thiar don lai ngut ki khynnah ba thiah namar ba ki kmie ki kpa jong ki, kim pat wan phai na lyngkha, te kumta ki iadon tang para khynnah hi. Katba uta u Hati u dang bam kba ha kata ka thiar, u Bah Dwor ula rah da ka sharak bad kita ki khynnah ki la leit sha u. Ha kata ka por u Bah Dwor um don rifle bad u don tang ka suloi kartus, kumta um long ban siat ya uta u Hati. Uta u Hati pat ynda u la sngewhun ba u la ioh ban bam bha ha ban da kdang, u la mih nangta bad u la leit rung ha kawei ka sem masi ba don kham pajih na kata ka iing ba u la bam kba, bad u pda lai tylli ki masi da ki phew phut shabar kata ka sem, uwei hadien uwei pat, bad kita ki masi ki la iap baroh lai tylli hashen. U Bah Dwor u la kynthoh, "Imat kito ki lai tylli ki masi kiba la shah pyniap ki la kit maki ya ka jaka jong kito ki lai ngut ki khynnah ba la lait im na kato ka iing ba uta u Hati u la bam kba". Mar iadep pyniap ya kita ki masi uta u Hati ruh u la leit sha khlaw bad khlem wanphai shuh jlang.

Hadien shisnem, uta u juh u Hati sawkuna u la wan poi biang sha shnong Umladang, bad u la pynjot thiaw ya kwei ka iing u Khar- khuti ya uba ki ju khot ieid u "Kansha". Mar ia dep pynjot ya kata ka iing, uta u Hati u la phet noh shapoh khlaw bad namar ba ka dei ka por tlang bad ka la long ka por janmiet kumta ka la sdang ban dum klooi.

Ha ka step kaba bud, u Ma Dwor bad arngut ki paralok jong u, ki la leit buddien ya uta u Hati bad ki la rah ruh ar tylli ki suloi rifle. Hadien ba ki la iaid khamlsen bad ynda ki poi ha kawei ka jaka kaba don ha ka phud wah jong ka wah Mynkhen, ki la iohi ya uta u Hati ba u ieng harud jong uwei u dieng Sase, bad, ba u dang kyrshut ya ka met jong u ha uta u dieng. Namarba jur than u phlang ba jrong bad ki sder ruh ki la jrong, kumta ym long shuh ban siat na kata ka jaka ba ki la iohi ya uta u Hati.

Kumta, ki la par sor sor narud jong ki sder bad ynda ki poi hajan jong u Hati, ki la iohsngew ba u dang pynhiar mynsiem phia phia. Ki la peit na khap ki sder bad ki la iohi ba uta u Hati u don tang kumba shiphew pruh ei-ei na kaba ki don. Hangta hi, baroh ar ngut ki thew ya ki rifle jong ki sha uta u Hati bad ki la siat lang jling ha kajuha por. Uta u Hati u la kyllon khram ha madan bad kita ki sder pat ki la tap ya ki. Ki la ia-mut ba ki la shah ban ha u Hati, hynrei ym dei kumta. Tang shiphang, uta u Hati u la ieng biang, bad bat da u luta jong u ya uta u dieng Sase. Kumta ki la thep kuli bad siat biang ya uta u Hati. Hynrei, um shym la kyllon bad u la iaid sha khamat bad ki ruh ki la buddien biang ya u. Haba ki la iaid tang khyndiat, u Bah Dwor u la ong, "Ban buddien kumne te ka long kaba mynsaw, ia ngin pom pakhet nangne." Tang hadien shipor ki la iohi biang ya uta u Hati ba u la ieng ha trai jong uwei u diengsning, uba don kitnad haduh hajan trai dieng. U Bah Dwor u la iathuh ba lada ki buddien beit ya u, uta u Hati un jin da la ioh ban pynhiar kput ya ki.

Uta u hati u ieng bad bat da u luta jong u ha uta u diengsning khnang ba un nym kyllon. Hangne ruh ki la siat biang sa ar kuli ya u Hati, hynrei u khlem kyllon. Dei da ka jingsted jong kiban thep kuli ba ki la siat ya uta u Hati haduh 14 kuli hynrei um kyllon satia. Te, namar ba la miet bad ba dei ka por tlang, kumta ki la leit phai noh sha la ki jong ki iing ki sem.

Ha ka step kaba bud ki la pynkhi paidbah na ki lai tylli ki shnong ba marjan bad kita ki dei ka shnong Umladang, ka shnong Rakabah bad ka shnong Kdiap. Kane ka la jia ha u snem 1965. Ynda ki



la poi ha uta u diengsning, u Hati um don shuh. Hynrei, ki la iohi ya ka snam ba lang lai saw jaka ha madan. Na kane ka jaka ki bud beit ya ka snam ba la jaw bad lang ha lynti haduh ba kin da poi ha ka jaka ba ki khot ka Madan Umprang. Bun ha kane ka madan don ka snam ba lang lynnong lynnong shi jaka jaka, kaba la mih ha ka por ba uta u Hati u la dem ha kita ki jaka. Harud kane ka madan don ka khar um kaba heh bha, ha kaba ki Hati ha ki por mynshwa ki ju sum sngewbha barabor. Dei hapoh kata ka khar um ba ki la lap ya ka met yap jong uta u Hati. Ki bniat jong uta u hati ruh, ki long kiba la kdiah bad sah sa tang ki tyndo bniat (ki trai bniat). Kumta ki la thlieh da u side bad sei ya kita ki trai bniat, bad ki la lasam mar khyndiat ya kita ki trai bniat. Baroh lai shnong ki la kit ya ka doh jong uta u Hati haduh ar sngi sha la ki ring ki sem. Ki la shet katto katne ka doh ban ioh ban bam noh ya ka. Ya kaba bun pat ki thad tyrkhong ya ka, bad ki sa bam pat ya ka hadien.

U Bah Dwor u la iathuh ruh ba ka Pynthor Sung ka la long mynshwa kaba jyllei bha ki mrad ki mreng kum ki Hati, ki Khla, ki Sier, ki Skei, ki Bthong, ki Dngeim bad ki mrad rit babun jait lem bad ki sim ki doh ba laiphew jait. Hapoh ka Pynthor Sung ba iar bad ba khraw, don ruh lai tylli ki um bluh (Um mluh) bad kita ki long ka um Mluh Mynri, ka um Mluh Dhar bad ka Um Mluh Ktieh. Ha ki por ba mynshwa, ki mrad ba bun jait, ki ju leit dih um mluh na kine ki um mluh man ka sngi. Hynrei, mynta pat ba ki khlaw ki btap ki la niar bad duna bha, kumta, ki mrad, ba lait na ka jingshah pyniap pathar ha ki bried bad kiba la duh jaka shong jaka sah, ki la phet noh sha *Karbi Anglong District* jong ka jylla Assam. Mynta, hapoh ka pynthor Sung, sah sa tang ki mrad rit ba bunjait, ki sim ki doh ba har rukom bad ki kynja ba par bunjait.

Ki jymbuiñ jong ki Hati Kynthei ki don sha khmat, kata ha ka shadem jong ki, ym kumba long kiwei pat ki mrad sawkjat. Ki Hati ki ju iapoikha da kaba thiah hapoh ka wah kaba jyndong ne ha ki jaka them ba don hapoh lawbah lawsan. Teng-khat pat, ki ju iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Masi. Ka long ruh kaba kham niar ba ki bried kin iohi ya ka jingiaapoikha jong ki. Ym tang katta, hynrei ka long ruh kaba ma ban lap ba ki dang iapoikha namar, kin beh thong ya u bried shisyndon bad lada ki ioh, kin pyniap beit ya u. Namarkata, lada jia ryngkhat ba phi lap ba ki Hati ki dang iapoikha, wat jam, wat hylla ne pynpaw ialade, hynrei, ialeh ban iaid jar jar na kawei pat ka lynti. Ha ka por ba ki Hati ki iapoikha da kaba thiah, u Hati shynrang u ju syrpuñ ya ki jumbuiñ ka Hati da u luta jong u. Ka por iapoikha jong ki Hati ka neh hagdeng shitaifew ne palat 15 sngi. Hadien ka jingiaapoikha, u Hati shynrang u leit phai sha la ka kynhun, bad ka Hati kynthei ruh ka leit phai sha la ka kynhun.

“Ka por pun khun jong ki Hati pat ka long kaba slem bha. Ka shim por haduh ba la jan dap arsnem, kata, hagdeng 19 bnai ne 22 bnai, bad ki kha khun ruh shisien saw snem. Ka Hati kynthei ka lah ban sdang kha khun naduh ba la dap 15 snem shaneng. Haba ka Hati ka la dei ban kha, ar ne lai tylli ki Hati kynthei kiba na kajuha ka kynhun, ki ialam ya ka Hati ban kha khun sha ka jaka ba kham pajih ne kynjah. Ka Hati ka kha ya i khun da kaba ieng, bad i khun i hap da ka khlieh shwa ha madan. Ia ka kynja jingsop ba stang kum ka jar ba tap ya ka met i khun Hati, la weng noh ya ka da kawei na ki Hati ba iarap ban pynkha ne da ka kmie jong ita i Hati hi. Dei ha ka por ba kha ba u thied sohpel uba bsa bam ya i khun Hati bad kjit ya ka jakhlia ba mih na i khun Hati ha ka por ba i dang don hapoh jong ka pla khun jong ka kmie jong i ba la bthai ne pyndkut noh ya u. Ki Hati ba iarap ban pynkha, ki iarap ban pynieng ya i khun Hati bad ialam ya i sha ka jaka ba don ki jymbuiñ jong ka kmie, khnang ba in ioh ban buiñ. Hadien katto katne por, ka nong kha, ki nongiarap pynkha, lem bad i khun Hati ba iaid hagdeng jong ki, ki leit phai noh sha la ka kynhun. Ha ka por kha i khun Hati i lah ban khia 115 Kg ne tam bad i khun Hati in buiñ haduh lai snem tam”. Ia kane ka bynta, une u Nongthoh u la iohi bad iohsngew ya ka jingbatai ha kawei na ki *programme*, ba la pyni ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

Ki Hati, haba ki kwah ban dem ne haba don ki briew ba shong halor ka met jong ki bad kita ki nongshong ki kwah ban hiar noh, ki Mahut ki ai dak ia ki Hati bad ki sa dem da kaba kyrshon shwa ia ki khohsiew ba shadien jong ki ha madan, bad ki sa pynbeit ia ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki ha madan, khnang ba ki briew kin suk ban hiar. Hynrei ynda ki ieng, ki dei ban ieng shwa da ki kjat ba shakmat jong ki bad ki sa pynieng ia ki kjat ba shadien jong ki, bad kumta ki sa lah ban leit kat sha ba ki kwah ban leit. Ia kane ka rukom ieng bad dem jong ki Hati, une u Nongthoh u la iohi bunsien haba ki Mahut ki pynhiar ia ki khynnah ba ioh ia ka *National Bravery Award*, kiba shong halor ki Hati ha ka por ba ki ia shim bynta ha ka *Republic Day Parade* ha New Delhi ha ki snem 1977, 1984, bad 1998.

U Bah S.B. Dohkrut u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba u la iohi da la ki jongki khmat, kumno u Hati u iaid ha ki jaka ba twa ka kyndew (*Landslide*) ha ka por ba u leit khwai ha ka Wah Lukha, kaba la jia la kham bun snem mynta. U Hati ha shwa ba un iaid ha ka jaka twa ka khyndew, u la twad shwa ia ka jaka ba u mut ban iuh da u luta jong u, la ka long ne em kaba biang; haba u shem ba ka long kaba biang u buh ia kawei ka kjat khmat jong u. Nangta u twad biang ia ka khyndew da u luta jong u ha ka khyndew bad ynda u shem ba ka long kaba biang, u buh ia kawei pat ka kjat khmat jong u. Ia ki kjat dien u rah kawei hadien kawei pat ha kito ki jaka ba u la buh shwa ia ki kjat khmat jong u, u ia twad ia ka khyndew bad haba u shem ba ka long kaba biang u buh ia ka kjat jong u ha kata ka jakabad u ia leh ia kane, haduh ba un da lait ban iaid lyngba kata ka jaka ba twa ka kyndew.

Ha ka por ba ki Phareng ki dang synshar ia ka Jaintia Hills, ki Dkhar ki ju wan ban kher bad kem ia ki Hati na ki khlaw jong ka Jaintia Hills da kaba siew ia kaba Musur sha u *S.D.O. (Civil)* ha Jowai. Ha ka por ba ki ju ialam ia ki sha Jowai, ki ju teh ia ki ha ka jaka ba ki khot “**Kdoh-Hati**”, kaba don hapoh ka dong Lulong. Ia ki Hati ba la ri ki briew bad kiba ki pyndonkam ha kaba kem bad teh ia ki Hati khlaw la khot ia ki, ki “**Winong**” bad ha ka ktien Dkhar pat la khot ia ki, ki “**Kundi**”, kaba mut ba ki long ki Hati ba la ioh jinghikai. Khlem ki **Winong**, ka long kaba eh bha ban kem bad ban teh ia ki Hati khlaw, wat la ki la ngat hapoh ka jingker, kaba la ker pynskhem bha da ki dieng tylli kiba heh, ba jwat bad ba eh.

U Bah C. Kharkongor u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba don ki Bhoi kiba stad bad tip bha shano ki Hati ne u Hati u don, tang da kaba kbum ia ka shympriahti kdew jong ki hapoh ka shyntur, bad ki sa pynshah ia ka ha ka lyer bad kin sa iathuh shano u Hati ne ki Hati ki don. Shisien, la bun phew snem mynta, uwei u Sahep uba ki khot u Sahep Ross, u la leit ban siat ia uwei u Hati Sawkuna hajan ka shnong Irikyndeng. Na Irikyndeng, uwei u Bhoi u la ialam lynti ia u Sahep Ross, sha ka khlaw ba don uta u Hati. Ynda poi hapoh khlaw, uta u Bhoi u la kbum ia ka kti kdew jong u hapoh la ka shyntur bad u sa pynshah ia ka ha ka lyer; tang shiphang u la iathuh ba uta u Hati u don sha ka liang ka diang. Kumta, u Sahep Ross ruh la leit shaphang ka diang kumba la pyni uta u Bhoi ia u, ba don uta u Hati sha kata ka liang. Hynrei, haba u Sahep Ross u la iaid tang katto katne por uta u Hati u la mih kynsan bluit bad beh thong ia u Sahep Ross, uba ha ka jingbypoi pyrkhat bad ha ka jingkyrkieh u la mareh ruma, bad ha ka por ba u dang mareh u la kyllon ha madan. Uta u Hati ruh haba ym iohi shuh ia u Sahep Ross u la ieng hajuh. Ha kata ka por u Sahep Ross u don hapoh ka jaka ba ieng uta u Hati, tangba um shym la iapler ne duh ka jingtip briew. Mar kumta hi u la buh ia ka ktang jong ka rifle jong u hajan u klongsnam jong uta u Hati bad u la siat ar kuli, namar, kata ka rifle jong u ka long kaba lah ban siat bunsien. Mar kumta ka snam ka la tuid ha u Sahep Ross bad i la kumba pynsum ia ubaroh shiryieng ha ka snam. Uta u Hati ruh ula kyllon iap harud kata ka jaka hi. Hynrei, donbok shibun ba u khlem ban ia u Sahep Ross. Uta u Bhoi uba leit ialam lynti ia u Sahep Ross, ha kata ka por u la ieng halor uwei u lum bad ula iohi lut ia kata ka jingjia bad ha ka por ba kyllon u Sahep Ross, u la mut ba ki sngi jong u Sahep Ross ki la kut hynrei, u la kmen bha haba u la

iohi ba uta u Hati u la kyllon iap. Ia kane ka jaka ha kaba u Sahep Ross u la Ioh ban siat pyniäp Ia uta u Hati, haduh kine ki sngi la khot Ia ka ka jaka lait im u Sahep Ross.

Ki Hati ba la ri ki brier ki long kiba ieid bad kohnguh Ia la ki kynrad, kiba shah pynkhyllew bad kiba ialeh katba lah ban pynhun Ia la u kynrad. U Bah Webster Laloo, u Ia iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la kham bun snem mynshwa u la iohi ba uwei u Hati ba u tan Ia uwei u diengbah na kawei ka bri soh ba don ha thaiñ War Jaintia. Namar ba uta u dieng u long ubaheh bha, kumta bunsien u la pyrshang ban rah Ia uta u dieng hynrei um lah satia. Kumta, u Mahut u la ong Ia uta u Hati uba kyrteng u Raja, “Raja sei la ka buit, ka bor bad lada me lah ban tan Ia une u dieng, te ynda poi ha iing, ngan sa iathuh ha ka Rani (Ka kyrteng ka kurim uta u Hati) Ia ka jingkhlañ bor jong me bad kumta kan ieid bha Ia me”. Mar kumta hi uta u Hati u la sei lut Ia la ka bor bad u la lah ban tan Ia uta u dieng. U Mahut u la ong pat, “Shabas Raja! Me te uba khlañ shisha”.

Ki Hati ki long ki mrad ki bym ju lah ban shah Ia ka jingkreñsah krensang bad Ia ka jingkreñbeñ Ia ki. La kham bun snem mynta, ka la jia ha ka shnong Mawryngkneng, ba wan pyniälehkai *Circus* ki Dkhar. Ha kawei ka miet, katba ki dang pynlong Ia ka jingiälehkai *Circus* Ia uwei u Hati, uwei u brier uba la buaid u la tim shi tim sang bad kren beñ de Ia uta u Hati. Ha kata ka por uta u Hati u la sat bad dom bha bad u la mut ban tur sha uta u brier. Hynrei, U Mahut um shah Ia u ban leh kumta bad ynda la kut ka jingiälehkai *Circus*, la teh Ia uta u Hati da u kynjri nar habar. Ynda baroh ki nongpyniälehkai *Circus* ki la thiah, uta u Hati u la pajut tyngeh Ia uta u kynjri bad u la dkut thui. Nangta, u la iaid beñ beñ sha ka iing ba shong uta u brier uba la tim sih tim sang bad kren beñ Ia u. Ynda u la poi ha kata ka iing, ha ka por shiteng synñia, katba uta u brier u dang iashong kai bad ar ngut ki paralok jong u, uta u Hati u la rung ha iing bad shim beñ tang Ia uta uba la kren beñ Ia u, bad u la lynthaw Ia u ha madan bad u sa iuh sa da ka kjat jong u na ka shadem uta u brier bad u la iap ha shen. Nangta, u leit phai biang sha ka jaka ba la teh Ia u, bad ula dem hangta haduh ban da shai. Ki trai *Circus* kim tip Ia kata ka jingjia ha kata ka miet, hynrei ki tip Ia ka ha ka por mynstep, haduh ban da iathuh ki trai shnong Ia ki, bad ki sa tip ruh ba uta uba la shah pyniäp u long u brier uba sniew.

U Bah S.G. Momin, I.P.S. uba la ju long teng mynshwa u *Superintendent of Police*, Jaintia Hills, Jowai, u Ia iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba shisien katba ki dang Ia leit siat mrad sha khlaw, ynda poi ha ka iwei i shnong rit, ki la Ia rung ban diñ sha ha iwei i dukan iba don harud lynti bad ha kata ka por ki la iohi ba ki Hati ki don ha trai u lum. Uwei u khynnah samla u la kren beñ Ia uwei u Hati ba don hangta ha trai lum. Hynrei, tang hadien katto katne por uta u Hati u la poi ha ka jaka ba uta u khynnah bad ki paralok jong u ki don. Uta u Hati u la shim beñ tang Ia uta u khynnah samla uba kren beñ Ia u, bad u la lynthaw Ia u ha madan bad u sa iuh Ia u na shadem bad u la iap hashen. Namarkata, kymnaw, ba ka long ka bym bit bad kaba shyrkhei ban tim sih tim sang ne ban kreñ beñ Ia ki Hati.

Ki Hati ki long ruh ki mrad kiba sngewnguh bha Ia kito kiba lehba Ia ki. Shisien, la kham slem bha mynta, ka la jia ha kawei ka jaka ba ki khot “Tashi-Nangla” kaba don hajan ka shnong Jrikyndeng. Ka Tashi-Nangla ka dei ka pynthor kba jong uwei u Bhoi uba kyrteng u Sar Milik. Harud kane ka pynthor, shisien, ka la don ka jingiäleh kaba jur bha hapdeng uwei u Hati bad uwei u Bseñ Wyrli-tylle ne u Bseñ Rali-tylle kaba la neh shi sngi tam. Hapoh kata ka por, uta u Hati man ka por u la pah “Kreng-shi-Kreng” namar ba uta u Bseñ ula khum Ia u bad u ialeh ban ring Ia u shalade. Haba u Hati u seibor bad tan Ia u Bseñ, u Bseñ u rit ria (Kaba phylla ka long ba ka met jong uta u Bseñ haba tan ka jrong kum haba tan Ia ka jri). Ha ka sngi kaba bud, u Sar Milik, dangstep u leit peit Ia ka lyngkha jong u, bad u la lap ba kata ka jingpah jong uta u Hati ka dei ba u shah tan ha u Bseñ. Kumta ha ka por ba u Hati u tan Ia u Bseñ bad ka met jong u ka la rit ria kat u pipe umkor rit, dei hamar kane ka por ba u Sar Milik u la pom bthat Ia uta u Bseñ bad u la dkut thui ar lyngkhot. Hamar kata hi

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ka por, uta u Hati ula kyllon kram ha madan. Nangta u la khie bad u la beh ya u Sar Milik bad ynda u la Yoh ya u, u la shim bad buh ya u halor ka met jong u bad u la leit buh ya u Sar Milik sha ka myndo (Ka Yingtrep) jong u Sar Milik. Ha baroh kata ka por u la kyih bad sheptieng bha, namar u la mut ba uta u Hati un sa pyntap ya u. Hynrei, ha baroh ka por kba jong kata ka snem uta u Hati u la ap ya kata ka lyngkha jong u Sar Milik, bad u la beh ya kiwei pat ki Hati bad ki mrad khlaw kiba la wan bad mut ban bam kba na kata ka lyngkha. Ynda la dep ot ya u kba, uta u Hati u la leit sha ka Myndo ha kaba u Sar Milik u dang shoh kba bad u la rah shajrong ya la u luta, ban pynpaw ya ka dak ka jingsngewnguh jong u ya u Sar Milik, namar, ba u la pyllait im ya u. Nduh kata ka por uta u Hati katba u dang im, man la ka snem ha ka por kba u la leit ap ya kata ka lyngkha jong u Sar Milik.

“Ki Hati ki long ki mrad kiba sngewthuh bha ya ka jingiap, haba ki lap ha khlaw ya ka met yap, ne ya ki shyieng ki shruh jong ki Hati ba la yap ki ju lyniar sngewsih”. Ya kane ka bynta, une u nongthoh u la Yohi ha ka por ba u la peit ya ka film kaba kyrteng, “*The Great Elephant*”.

Ha ka pyrthei baroh kawei, dei sa tang ha ka dewbah Africa bad ha ka dewbah Asia ba ki Hati ki dang iaid dang yeng haduh mynta. “Ki Hati Africa ki iapher pat na ki Hati Asia ha kane ka rukom: Ki Hati Africa ki kham heh kham jrong bad ka met ka phad jong ki, ka kham wan dur - wan dar bha. Ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba kham heh bad kham wandur wandar bha. Ha ki artylli ki kjat ba shakhmat jong ki, don saw tylli ki tyrsim kjat bad mar lai tylli ki tyrsim kjat ha ki kjat ba shadien jong ki. Ha kliar u luta jong ki, don ar tylli ki rymmiang shyntur. Katba, ki Hati Asia pat ki kham rit khyndiat bad ka met ka phad jong ki ruh ka kham kdor pyrkung. Ki shkor jong ki ruh ki kham rit. Hynrei ki don pat haduh san tylli ki tyrsim kjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat ba shakhmat jong ki bad saw tylli ki tyrsim ha kawei pa kawei na ki kjat ba shadien jong ki. Katba ha kliar u luta jong ki pat don tang kawei ka rymmiang shyntur. Ha kajuha ka por, ki Hati Asia kynthei kim ju mih bniat kumba mih bniat ki Hati Africa kynthei”. Ya kane ka jingiapther ki Hati Africa bad ki Hati Asia, une u nongthoh u la Yohi bad Yohsngew ya ka jingbatai ha kawei na ki *Programme* ba la pyni ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

Lada phi hap ban leit jingleit lyngba ka khlaw da ka kjat ne shong da ki kali ha ki lynti khlaw ba dang don bun ki Hati, kynmaw ba lada phi Yakynduh ha lynti ba ki Hati ki dem ha surok ne ha ka lynti ba phi dei ban iaid, ong kumne, “Peit shane, ngi khlem wan shane da kaba thmu ban pynsnew ne Yaleh pyrshah ya phi, hynrei, ngi iaid la ka jong ka lynti ban pyndep ya la ki kam ki duk. Namarkata, sngewbha pyllait lynti ya ngi khnang ba ngin leit”. Tang hadien katto katne por u Hati ne ki Hati kin yeng da kaba rah ruh ya la ki luta bad pah kreng kreng bad iaid noh sha kiwei pat ki jaka.

U Bah L.T. Sangma, uba ju long *E.A.C.* ha ka ophis jong u *S.D.O. (Civil) Amlarem Sub – Division*, u la Yathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba, don ki Garo kiba lah ban kylla Hati kumba don ki briew kiba lah ban kylla khla.

Lada jia ba phi shah beh ha u Hati, bret da ka rumar ne da kano kano ka jaiñ balieh ha khyndew, bad da kaba leh kumta kan pyllait im ya phi. Namar, u Hati un pynhiar kput ya ka jingdom jong u ha kata ka jaiñ. Hynrei, lada phim don jaiñ ban bret, mareh sted, tangba wat mareh beit. Hadien ba phi la mareh katto katne, phai noh sha ka diang ne ka mon, da kaba mareh kumne u Hati un ym lah ban Yoh ya phi namar, ba shisien u la mareh sted un ym lah ban phai kynsan kynsan sha ka mon ne sha ka diang.

Ki Hati ki long ki mrad kiba don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid. Ym tang kiba don ha ka dewbah Asia, hynrei kiba don ha ka dewbah Africa ruh, namar, ki nongkhañ tuh ya ki bniat Hati ki leit ban siat bad pynfap klep ya ki kat shaba ki don. Mynta, ha Africa bad ha Asia, ki Hati ki la duna bha

haduh katta katta. Kane ka la pynlong ia ki dkhot jong ka *World Wildlife Fund*, ban ai jingiarap pisa khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki Hati bad ia kiwei pat ki mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid.

Ki Hati ki long ki mrad ia kiba la khang pyrshah da ka aifn ba ym bit ban pyniap ia ki (*Prohibited Animals*). Ka Sorkar ka hap ban leh kumne namar, lada shah ia ki brieve ba kin siat pyniap ia ki Hati katba ki mon, te tang hapdeng katto katne snem yn nym don Hati shuh ha kane ka pyrthei. Wat haba la mana bad khang pyrshah da ka aifn, ba ym bit ban pyniap ia ki Hati, hynrei, dang don bun ki riewrunar ha kylleng ki ri ba don hapoh Asia bad Africa kiba leit siat bad pyniap klep ia ki Hati namar, kumba long mynta, ka dor ka bniat Hati ka long kaba rem dor bha; ka dor jong ka, ka long hapdeng 2,000/- bad 35,000/- tyngka shi kilo. Ka dor jong ki bniat Hati ka shong eh ha ka jingheh, jingrong, jingbha bad rong jong ki. Ki Bniat Hati ki don ar rong: don kiba long rong lieh bad don pat kiba long lam byrtem. Ki bniat ba long rong byrtem, ki kham remdor shibun shah ban ia ki bniat kiba long rong lieh. Ka jingkhafi ia ki bniat Hati ruh ka long kaba be-aifn.

“Dang ha ka 6 tarik u Naiweing (*November*), 1997, ki nongtrei *Customs* jong ka Sorkar India, ki la ioh kem ia kawei ka *truck* bad lai ngut ki brieve hajan shnong Jowai, kaba mut ban leit sha Mizoram bad kaba kit ia ki 30 tylli ki bniat Hati, ki snieh Khla, ki shyieng Khla, ki Snieh Kyrbei, Ki Snieh Ksih bad ki bynta jong ki dkhot met jong ki mrad khlaw ba la thad tyrkhong, ia kiba ki la mut ban leit die sha Ri China, Hongkong bad Singapore lyngba ka Ri Myanmar (Burma) namar, kitei ki mar ki iaid iew bad rem dor bha sha kitei ki Ri. Ia katei ka *truck* bad ia ki brieve lai ngut la ioh ban kem ia ki namar, ba don ba leit iathuh sha *Customs* Ophis shaphang ka jingkit tuh ia kitei ki mar. Kane ka pyni shai kdar ba lada ki paidbah kin nym iatrei lang bad ka Sorkar, ka long kaba eh ban pynduh jaid ia kine ki riew bymman bad ha kaba kut, kan poi ka por ba ki mrad ki mreng baroh kiba don hapoh Meghalaya kin duh jaid thiaw na sla kane ka pyrthei. Namarkata, baroh, ngi dei ban iasnoh kti lang bad ka Sorkar, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki laiphew mrad laiphew mreng ba don hapoh ka jylla jong ngi. Kat kum ka jingithuh jong u *Commissioner of Customs*, ia kitei ki mar ba la ioh kurup yn sa aiti ia ki baroh sha ka *Forest Department* jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya, namar, ki dei ki mar ba la wanrah na *Garo Hills*. Kitei ki mar baroh ki shongdor palat ia ka 40 lak tyngka. Namarkata, ka *Forest Department* ka dei ban buh tyngkai bha ia ki hapoh ka *Forest Musuem* bad dei ruh ban buh ia ki hapoh ka *strong room*, khnang ba ki riawnsniew kiba mut ban leit tuh ia ki, kin nym ioh lad ban leh kumta”. Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor *Apphira* kaba 11 tarik u Naiweing (*November*), 1997 halor ka phang “*More than 10 lakhs worth wildlife organs seized*” ha ka sla 1.

Lada phi kwah ban tip kham bniah ia ka jingshyrkhei jong ka jingpyniap pathar ia ki Hati na ka bynta ki bniat ba rem dor jong ki, pule ia ka kot ba kyteng, “*Elephant Song*” kaba long ka kot ba la thoh da u Fillbur Smith, kaba long ruh ka *No.1 Best Seller*, ne peit ia ka phlim kaba kyteng, “*The Tusk*”, pule ruh ia ka *Reader Digest* jong u Naiweing (*November*), 1993 halor ka phang, “*Ivory War*” ha ka sla 169 bad ia ka jingthoh ha ka *Reader Digest* hi halor ka phang, “*Life in the Wild*” jong u bnai Rynghang (*February*) 1992 ha ka sla 70.

“Ha ka por ba mynshwa, ha kiba bun ki Ri kiba don ha ka Dewbah Africa, lada jia ba ki Hati ki la bun palat hapoh kano kano ka khlaw tyngkai mrad ia kiba la khot ha ka ktien Phareng *National Park* lane *Wildlife Sanctuary*, ki ju siat pyniap ia kiba bun ki Hati bad ieh ban im tang kat ban biang, ba kin dap bam napoh kata hi ka khlaw ha kaba ki don”. Ia kane ka rukom pyniap ki khot ia ka ha ka ktien Phareng, “*Cull*.” Hynrei, mynta, namar kiba bun ki khlaw ki long kiba duna Hati bha, te haba don ka khlaw kaba la bun palat ki Hati bad ki jingbam ba don hapoh kata ka khlaw kam lah shuh ban pyndap bam ia ki, lada ieh ba kin ia im lang baroh ha kata ka khlaw, kumta ha ka jakaban siat pyniap

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Ya ki Hati, ki pynkynriah noh ia kiba bun ki Hati sha kiwei pat ki khlaw. Ha ka por ba ki pynkynriah noh ia ki kiba bun ki Hati, ki ju siat ia ki da ki kynja thymia ba don bad ka dawai *tranquillizer*, kaban shu pyniäpler ia ki shipor. Nangta ki kit ia ki da ka kali kaba heh, ba jröng bad ba la ker kamra da ki ruh nar. Ia kane ka jingpynkynriah jaka sah ia ki Hati na kawei ka khlaw sha kawei pat la khot ia ka ha ka ktien Phareng, “*Translocation*”. Ha ka snem 1993 ka *British Environmental Group*, “*Care for the Wild*” (C.F.T.W.), ka ai pisa ban pynkynriah ia ki 250 tylli ki Hati na ka *Zimbarere’s Gonarezhou National Park*, sha ka “*Save Valley Conservancy*” (Kaba heh 4,00,000 *hectare*) bad kaba jngai haduh 320 kilometer na ka *Zimbabwe’s Bonarezhou Park*, ha ka jinglut kaba \$ 300 na ka bynta uwei uwei u Hati”. La thoh khnang ia kane ka bynta khnang ba lada jia ha Meghalaya kan don ka khlaw kaba la bun palat ki Hati, te ha ka jakaban pyniäp ia ki, dei ban pynkynriah ia ki sha kiwei pat ki khlaw ki bym don Hati shuh. Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka *Reader’s Digest* jöng u bnai Rymphang (*February*), 1992 halor ka phang, “*Elephant Rescue*” ha ka sla 102.

“Ki Hati lieh ne ki *White Elephant* jöng ka Ri Thailand, ki dei ki Hati ba la iöh ia ka jingpang ba la khot ha ka ktien Phareng “*Albinism*”. Kane ka jingpang ka pynlong ia ka snieh jöng kiban lieh blaid blaid bad u shñiuh jöng ki ruh u lieh. Ki don kumba 11 tylli eiei bad buh haduh saw ngut ki nongsharai ia uwei uwei u Hati. Ka kam jöng ki ka long ban iälam ia ki Hati lieh sha ki khlaw jyrngam, ban pynsum ia ki man ka janmiet, nangta sa ai bam pat ia ki da u par bad u sohkyntoi shwa ba kin thiah ha ki *Pavilion* ne ki iingjaiñ bahch bad ba la shna pynitynnad bha”.

“Ia kine ki Hati lieh la ñiewkor bad kheñ kyntang ia ki namar, ha ki por mynshwa, ia ki thma la ju iälch nalor jöng ki, ha *South Asia*. Kine ki Hati lieh ki long kiba rem dor bha. Ki *Albino Elephants* ne ki Hati lieh kim da lieh shisha hynrei, ki don ki bynta kiba lieh ha ka met jöng ki. Kumta haba don ki Hati ba long lieh, ki *expert* ki hap ban iit bniah ia ki kot barim ban pynthikna lada uta u Hati u don kiei kiei baroh ba lah ban khot ia u u Hati lieh. Kum ka jingiwbiñ umngap jöng ka jingpynhiar mynsiem jöng u, u tdong uba itynnad, u luta uba jröng bad wat ka eit ruh ka dei ban sma sngewtynnad, kiba long ki dak ki shin hashwa ban lah ban leit ai ia uta u Hati ha u Syiem.”

“U Syiem Bhumibol Adulyadej uba ki briew ki ieid bha bad uba sngewtynnad bha ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki mrad ki mreng, ki sim ki doh bad ki khlaw ki btap, u la rai ban pynduh noh ia ka rukom ban buh ia ki Hati lieh hajan ki iingshong jöng u Syiem bad u la sdang ban buh noh ia ki ha ka khlaw tyngkai (*Reserved Forest*) ha ki snem 1980 shaneng. Dei tang ia uwei na ki khadwei tylli ki Hati lieh ba ki dang pynsah ha ka *Chitrlada Palace* (ka iing Syiem) ba don hapoh ka nongbah Bangkok jöng ka Ri Thailand”.

“U *Royal Veterinarian* (U Doctor mrad jöng ka iingsyiem), U Dr. Phiphatanachatr Discut u dang kynmaw haba ki leit buh ia ki hynñiew tylli ki Hati lieh sha ka jaka buh tyngkai ia ki Hati ha Lakephang, kaba jngai 540 *kms.* shatei na Bangkok. Ki kjat jöng kita ki Hati ki kyuih katba ki dang kiew ia ki lum bad ki luta jöng ki, ki shad sapadoi sharum shaneng haba ki pyrshang ban kynjoh jingbam na ki tnad dieng.”

“Hynrei mynta ki la lah ban im kum kiwei pat ki Hati khlaw. Ki mih na khlaw man ka janmiet bad jngi kai ha ka pung (*Reservior*) ba la shna khnang. a uwei pa uwei u Hati la shna kawei ka sem, kaba plie ha ki lai liang bad ba la ker sawdong da ka pyntha phlang ba itynnad bah. Ia kine ki Hati lieh la iada ia kiban lait na ka jingsniewbok kumba hap kiwei pat ki Hati khlaw”.

“Ia ki jaka sah jöng ki Hati la pynrit bha bad ka jingpyndonkam ia ki, ha ka kit kabah ruh ka la hiar bha. Ka jingbun jöng ki Hati ha Ri Thailand ka la hiar bha mynta. Ha kaba sdang jöng kane ka

spah snem ki don haduh 100,000 tylli ki Hati ba ri ki briew bad bun shah ki dei ki Hati khlaw. Hynrei mynta pat sah sa tang 2000 tylli ki Hati khlaw bad 4000 tylli ki Hati ba ri ki briew”.

“Ka ri Thailand ka dei ka Ri kaba khadduh eh kaba ya ki Hati lieh la pynsah pynneh. U *Royal Vet.* (u Doctor mrad jong ka lingsyiem) u la iathuh ba ha Myanmar (Burma), Laos bad Combodia ki la duh”. Ya kane ka jingthoh shaphang ki Hati lieh la sot ya ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor *Apphira* kaba 21.4.1998 ha ka sla 2, halor ka heading, “*Boom or Bust, Thai's Royal White Elephants live good life*”.

Katkum ka jingthuhkhana pateng jong ki riewtymmen, u Hati u dei u mrad ba U Blei U la thaw khadduh eh hadien ba u la dep thaw ya baroh ki mrad ki mreng, ki sim ki doh, ki dohkha ki dohpnat bad ya ki kynja ba par ba don ka kane ka pyrthei. Ha ka por ba U Blei U thaw ya u Hati, U la shim khyndiat khyndiat ka doh na baroh ki laiphew mrad laiphew mreng, ki sim ki doh, ki dohkha ki dohpnat, ki khñiang ki ksiah bad na baroh ki kynja ba par ba don ha kane ka pyrthei. Kumta ynda U Blei U la dep ban thaw ya u Hati, u la long uwei na ki mrad ba heh bad ba khrav ka met ka phad bad ka rynieng ka ryniöt. Ki briew kiba jubam ya ka doh Hati ki iathuh ba don ka bynta ha ka met u Hati kaba ki hap ban bret namar, kata ka bynta ka dei ka doh briew ya kaba U Blei U la shim ha ka por ba u la thaw ya u Hati. Ya kane ka bynta ngim lah ban ong la ka long kaba shisha ne em hynrei, ka dei ka jingthuhkhana pateng ki riewtymmen shaphang kumno U Blei U la thaw ya u Hati.

**Ka jingpyndonkam bad ka jingmyntoi ba ngi yoh na ki Hati: -**

Ya ki Hati ha ka por hyndai, la pyndonkam ya ki ha kaba faleh thma. Ki syiem India haba ki leit faleh thma ki ju shong halor ki Hati. Wat ha ka thma ba la faleh ha ka snem 1862–63 hapteng ki Jaintia hapoh ka jingñalam u Kiang Nangbah bad ki Phareng, ki shipai Phareng ki pyndonkam da ki Hati ban kit ya ki tup ki man jong ki. La pyndonkam ruh ya ki Hati ban kit ya ki mar kiba khia, ban rah ne tan ya ki dieng tylli kiba heh ba khia napoh ki khlaw ki btap. Don ruh ki jaka ne ki shnong, ba ki briew ki pyndonkam ya ki Hati ha kaba kit briew. Ya ki Hati la pyndonkam ruh ya ki ha kaba falehkai *Circus*.

Bun ki *Film Company* ki pyndonkam ya ki Hati ban pynmih ya ki *Film* jong ki, kum ha ki film, “*Tarzan the Ape Man*”, “*African Safari*”, “*The Great Elephant*”, “*Ivory Merchant*”, “*The Tusk*”, “*Hati mera Sathi*” bad kiwei kiwei de ki film. Ha ka film ba kyrteng, “*Beautiful People*”, ha kawei ka bynta, la iohi ba uwei u Hati u la pynkhih tyngeh ya uwei u diengsoh khlaw bad bun tylli ki soh ki la hap sha madan bad uta u Hati lem bad kiwei pat ki mrad, ki la iabam ya kita ki soh, bad tang hadien shipor, kita ki mrad ki la buaid lut. Ya ki Hati la buh ya ki ha ki jaka ri mrad ne ki *Zoo* ha kylleng ka pyrthei, khnang ba ki briew kin yoh peit kai ya ki. Hynrei ya ki Hati la lap ba ki don sa tang ha ka dewbah *Asia* bad dewbah *Africa*. Kumta, kito ki Hati ba la buh ha ki *Zoo* jong kiwei pat ki Ri, ki dei kiba la wallam na ki Ri ba don hapoh *Africa* ne hapoh *Asia*.

Katkum ka jingpyni ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television* halor ka phang “*Animal Destiny*” ha ka 14.2.1999 ha ka por sngi, la batai ba ya ki Hati la ri ya ki da ki briew la kumba 5000 snem mynshwa.

“Ki Syiem India, ya kiba la tip kum ki *Indian Maharaja*, ki ju pyndonkam da ki Hati ban falehkai *Polo* ha ki snem 1930 – 39. Ya ka jingñalehkai *Polo* la sdang ban faleh nyngkong eh ya ka ha ka jylla Manipur, ha kaba ki nongñalehkai ki shong halor ki kulai bad tied ya ka bol da ki dieng ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng “*Polo - Maller*” khnang ban yoh thep kol. Kumba long kiwei kiwei ki jingñalehkai, ka jingñalehkai *Polo* ruh ka don arliang ne ar kynhun ki nongñalehkai. Hynrei, dei ki

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Phareng kiba la pynsaphriang bad pynjanai bha ia ka jingfalehkai *Polo*, kumba ka long mynta. Dei pat ki *Maharaja* kiba la falehkai *Polo* nyngkong eh, da kaba shong halor ki Hati. Haba pyndonkam da ki Hati ban falehkai *Polo*, u Mahut u shong ha ryngdang jong u Hati bad dei ma u uba pynfaiid ne lam ia u Hati. U nongfalehkai pat u shong halor ka met u Hati, khnang ban ioh thep kol. Hadien ba ka jingfalehkai *Polo* ba la faleh da ki Hati ka la duh noh, dei ki amgut ki brierw kiba na ka shnong *St. Moritz* jong ka Switzerland, kiba la pynim pat ia ka jingfalehkai *Polo* ba pyndonkam da ki Hati ha ka snem 1981 ha Ri Nepal". Ia kane ka bynta la sot ia ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka *Reader's Digest* jong u bnai Rymphang (*February*), 1996 halor ka phang, "*Pachyrdem Polo*" ha ka sla 18.

Hapoh ka khlieh jong ki katto katne ki Hati don u Mawkordor ia uba la khot ha ka ktien Dkhar "*Shalimar*". Ia une u Shalimar la pyni ha une u Nongthoh da uwei u paralok Garo, u bym kwah ban pynpaw ia ka kyrtejong jong u. U Shalimar u long uba khia bad ka rong jong u ka kylla lam byrlieh bad ka dur pat ka long kaba lam pyllun, tangba na baroh ki bynta ba narud jong u, ki long kumba la ot tbak, bad ka met jong u ka long kaba jlih bha. Ka dor jong une u jaid mawkordor ruh ka long kaba rem bha bad kaba da ki lak tyngka uwei. Katkum ka jingfathuhkhana uta u paralok, ia u Shalimar la pynlong ia u da ka jingjaw jong u lappraw ha hap nyngkong ha ka por Pyrem ne por Synrai bad jaw ha ka khlieh u Hati. Kane ka jingjaw barit lada ka ioh ban rung hapoh ka khlieh u Hati, suki suki kata ka jingjaw kan nang heh bad ka kylla sha u Shalimar bad ha kata ka por uta u Hati un sdang ban lamwir. Katba u nangheh u Shalimar katta ruh kan nangjur ka jinglamwir jong u Hati. Dei tang ki brierw kiba la tip shaphang kane ba ynda ki la pynfap ia kum kita ki Hati, ki sa sei ia uta u mawkordor napoh ka khlieh jong u Hati. Haba buh ia une u mawkordor hapoh iing, ka iarap ia u trai iing ha ki liang baroh. Tangba ka long kaba mynsaw ban rah ia u mawkordor haba leit jingleit namarba, lada jia ba ia kynduh ia u Hati khlaw ne ia u Hati ba ri ki brierw, un beh thong ia uba rah ia u bad ynda u ioh un shim ia uta u Shalimar bad un nguid ia u, khang ba un long uba khlaif bor bha. Uta u paralok Garo u la iathuh ruh ba ha ka por ba u wan na Tura sha Shillong da ka kali Ambassador, u la rah lang ia u Shalimar bad thep ia u hapoh *briefcase*. Hashwa ba un poi ha Guwahati u la kynduh bad uwei u Hati ba don bad u Mahut ba shong halor ryndang jong uta u Hati, kiba wan mar pyrshah bad u, markumta uta u Hati u la tur sha ka Ambassodor wat haba uta u Mahut u la dumok tyngheh ia uta u Hati da u nar na khlieh jong u ruh. Hynrei, donbok shibun ba hamar kata ka por la poi kawei ka truck bad la long kumba ker ia ka kali ambassodor na uta u Hati, uta u paralok ruh namar u la tip lypa shaphang ka jingkwah uta u Hati ia u Shalimar ba don ha u, mar kumta hi u la pynher sted ia ka kali bad lait na ka jingma.

Ki bniat jong ki Hati ba la san pura bha ki khia kawei kawei kumba shimon ne tam. Ki bniat ruh ki long kiba rem dor bha. Namar, na ki la ju shna ia ki dur bleithaw, ki synduk ban buh ia ki mawkordor, ki mawlynnai bad ki jingdeng ksar jingdeng rupa ba remdor. Don ki brierw ba ju deng ia ki sahkti ba la shna na ki bniat Hati khnang ban iada ia ki haba ki bam ki dih na ka jingai sniew jong ki brierw bad na ki ksuid ki khrei.

Ki Kobiraij bad ki Nongaidawai Khasi Pnar ki ju shna dawai na ki bniat Hati da kaba khleh lang bad kiwei pat ki kynbat dawai ban sumar ia kiba shah ot Thlen bad ban iada na ki ksuid ki khrei. Ki Kobiraij lada ki ioh ia ki bniat Hati ba kdiah ha ka por ba ki Hati ki iakhun ha khlaw ban long nongjop, kin siew da ki hajar tyngka ia kata ka bniat, wat la ka long kaba rit ruh namarba, ka bniat ba la ioh na u Hati ba dang im ka kham khlaif bor bha ban treikam haba shna dawai na kaban ia ka bniat ba ioh ynda la pynfap ia u Hati. Dei na kane ka daw ba bunsien ngi ju iohi ba ia ka Hati ba ri ki brierw, la ot noh ia ki khmut ne kliar jong ki bniat jong ki namar, ki lah ban die ia kita ki kliar jong ki bniat haduh 5000/- tyngka kawei bad ym namar ba ki tieng ba ioh u Hati ba ki ri un dung brierw da ki bniat jong u.



Haba dung u dieng ne bitor kham jylliew shapoh ka met jong u briew bad ym lah shuh ban sei ãa uta u dieng ne bitor napoh ka met lynda puid, kumta khnang ban lait na kaba shah puid shim ar tylli ki khmat dohkha im (kata ki khmat jong ka dohkha bympat shet), khyndait ka khleif siyar, khyndiat ka dohmet jong u khñiang ba ki khot Syat – Takareng ha ka ktien Pnar, u pyrthat ha ka ktien Khasi bad u *Stick Insect* ha ka ktien Phareng, khyndiat ka mluh bad khruid khyndiat ka bniat Hati. Nangta sa tylliati lang ãa kine bad sa tap ãa kata ka dawai ha ka jaka ba dung u dieng ne bitor bad nalor ka dawai sa tap da u tympew, da kaba buh ãa ka bynta ba nalor u tympew halor ka dawai bad sa teh da ka jaiñ ba la tar rit, khnang ba ka dawai kan neh. Hadien laisngi uta u dieng ne bitor ba sahkut hapoh ka met u briew un sa mih hi napoh ka met u ne kaba shah dung dieng ne bitor.

Na ka bynta ban sumar ãa kiba ãoh ksuid, ka Lyngkhuu (ka kynja ksuid), ka Taro (ka kynja ksuid ba ri ki briew ban riwspah) bad ki blei ãing blei sem jong ki briew, ki Kobiraij ki ju khrud ãa ka bniat Hati bad ki sa khleh lang ãa kabad ki kynbat dawai bad da kane ka dawai ki ju kyllan ãa ka khlieh bad ka met ki nongpang ban pyñjem ãa ki.

Haba ãoh pang tiar, kaba long ka jingpang kaba jur ka jingsuh khyrwait ryngkat bad ka prie bad pynhiar, khnang ban ãada ãa u nongpang ban lait na ka jingñap, khrud khyndiat ka bniat Hati ha ka um bad khyndiat ka yumbu Khla (ka dei ka dud ba hap na ka Khla ha ka por ba ka ai buif khun bad ka sa lang ha kata ka jaka ba ka hap. Nalor, ka long lam byrñong bad napoh pat ka long lam byrñieh) bad sa ai ba un dih u nongpang. ãa kaban pyñkoit pat ãa u nongpang sa leit shim dawai na ki Kobiraij.

Haba kem Taro ne kem u Ksuid, khrud khyndiat ka bniat Hati bad ka yumbu khla ha ka um, nangta sa pynsleh ha langtyrneif (Kyrwing khlieh) bad pyndih ruh ãa kata ka dawai ha u ne kaba shah kem Taro ne Ksuid; khlem pep, u ne ka nongpang kin koit.

Khnang ban ãada ãa ki Masi, ki Blang bad ki Sniang na ka jingpang babun jait, khrud ãa ka bniat Hati ha ka um bad sa ai ba kin dih kita ki mrad. Kan bha shibun lada lah ban ai ãa ka bniat Hati ba la khrud ha ka um ba kin dih ki jingri jong phi shisien shibnai.

Haba pdang ki khongdong kjat bad kata ka jingpdang katba tah dawai ruh kam jem, ka mut ba ha kata ka jingpdang don ki jaid khñiang ba la ãoh ban rung bad shong hangta. Ban pyñkoit ãa kane ka jingpdang shim khyndiat ka snep jong ka Kyrbei bad thang ãa kabad sa tylliati ha ban da ka la shroif. Nangta sa khrud khyndiat ka bniat Hati bad sa khleh lang ãa ki bad ka umphniang snepkor bad sa tah ãa kata ka dawai ha ka bynta ba don kata ka jingpdang. Hadien katto katne sngi kata ka jingpdang kan sa jem. ãa kane ka juh ka jingpdang lah ban pyñkoit ãa ka, da kaba thang haduh ban da long dpei ãa ka snieh Bseif kaba la dep ler (kata ka mut ka snieh Bseif kaba u Bseif u la pynhap khnang ban mih da ka snieh ba thymmai ha ka met jong u) bad khleh lang ãa kata ka dpei bad ka umphniang bad nangta sa tah ãa ka jingpdang bad hadien katto katne sngi kan sa jem.

Haba pang bhur, khleh lang da ka bniat Hati ba la khrud bad khyndiat u Ksang Dngiem lem bad ki dawai kynbat bad dih ãa kata ka dawai ban jem kane ka jingpang. Hynrei, kaba bha eh dei ban dih da ka dawai ba la khleh da ki Kobiraij.

Ki briew ki ju shna mula na ki kjat ki Hati, da kaba ot narum khohsiew bad ki sa sei ãa ka doh bad ki shyieng ba don hapoh ka kjat Hati. Nangta ki sa thad ãa ki ha ka sngi bad ki da khleh dawai ruh, khnang ba ka snieh kan nym bam khñiang bad kan nym pyut. Ynda la biang ka por, ki sa thep da ki tiar kiba jem haduh ban da dap kata ka kjat Hati bad ki sa suh da ka snieh ne da ka *Rexin* nalor jong ka khnang ba kan long ka jaka shong.

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Ha ka 25 tarik u bnai *January* 1998 hajan ka India Gate, ha New Delhi une u Nongthoh u la Yohi ba uwei u briew ba dei na ka kynthun nongshad jong ki nong Sikkim u la khat ia ka eit ba dang shu lah eit uwei u Hati hapoh ka pla plastic bad u la pdiang ruh ia ka um pynjchieh jong uta u Hati ha uwei u bilor. Ynda une u Nongthoh u la kylli ia uta u Nong Sikkim ba un leh aiu ia ka eit bad ka jung jong uta u Hati, uta u Nong Sikkim u la iathuh ba da ka eit bad ka jung Hati ynda la khleh lang bad ki katto katne ki dawai kynbat, kan sa long ka dawai kaba lah ban pynkoit ia kano kano ka jingpang ba long khfiang ha ka snieh doh jong u briew.

Ha ri India don ki seng Saiñ Hima kiba pyndonkam ia ka dur u Hati kum ka shap ne ka symbol ialeh *election* jong ki. Ka Asom Gana Parishad (A.G.P.) kaba long ka seng saiñ hima kaba jubat ia ka bor synshar mynshwa ha ka jylla Assam – ka shap ne ka symbol ialeh *election* jong kane ka party ka dei da ka dur u Hati. Hapoh ka jylla Sikkim, ka party ne ka seng saiñ hima ba ki khot Sikkim Sangram Prishad ruh ka pyndonkam ia ka dur u Hati ban long ka shap ne ka symbol ialeh *election* jong ka. Nangta don ruh sa kawei ka Party ne ka seng saiñ hima ba ki khot Pattali Makkal Katchi kaba pyndonkam hi da ka dur u Hati kum ka shap ialeh *election* jong ka. Ka Republican Party jong ka Ri America ruh ka pyndonkam da ka dur u Hati kum ka shap ialeh *election* jong ka. Ka dur u Hati ka dei ka emblem jong ka jylla Kerela.

Ka khusnam ne ka Award ba ha khlieh duh ha ka Ri Denmark, ka dei ka Award ba ki khot “*The order of the White Elephant*”.

Ka “*Silver Elephant National Award*” ka dei ka khunsnam kaba ha khlieh duh ia kaba la ju ai ka Sorkar India sha ki briew kiba la noh synniang ban nang pynbha bad pynkiew ia ka jingtreikam jong ka *Bharat Scouts and Guides*. Ha u jylliew (*June*) 2002, u Bah P.J. Bazely, uba long u *Principal Secretary* jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya bad u *President* ka *Meghalaya Bharat Scouts and Guides*, u la ioh pdiang ia kane ka khusnam ha Talkotra Stadium ha New Delhi na ka kti u Myntri iada Ri jong ka Ri India, U George Fernandes.

Don ruh ki Company ne ki seng Kharkhana ba la buh ia ka dur Hati kum ka Trademark ne ka dak khati jong ki. Ka Company ba pynmih ia ka dawai Borolin ka Trademark jong ka, ka dei ka dur u Hati. Don ruh ki Company ba pynmih ia ki ksai kaba ia ka Trademark jong ka dei da ka dur u Hati – kum ka Company ba pynmih ia u ksai ba ki khot u Dak – Hati. Kane ka jingbuh Trademark da ka dur u Hati ka lah ban long ban pyni ia ka jingbha bad jingkhlaif jong ki mar ba ki pynmih, kumba khlaif u Hati.

“U Syiem Ahab ka hima Israel u la tei ia ka iing bniat hati” katkumba la thoh ha ka Bible ha ka kitab kaba nyngkong jong ki Syiem ha ka lynnong kaba 22 bad ha ka dkhot ba 39.

U Syiem Solomon “U la thaw ka khet bniat hati kaba khraw bad u la suit ia ka da ka ksar ba nylla. Bad kata ka khet ka don hynriew kyrdan, bad ki jingihuh kjet ksar ia kiba la pyndait ha ka khet, bad ki jingshan baroh arliang hajan ka jaka shong, bad ar tylli ki sing kiba ieng hangta baroh arliang halor ki hynriew kyrdan; ym ju thaw kum kata ha kano kano ka hima.” Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka Bible na ka kitab kaba ar ki *Chronicles*, ha ka lynnong kaba 9 bad na ka dkhot kaba 17 haduh ka dkhot kaba 19.

Ha ka por 8 duna shipawa ha ka por mynmiet, ha ka 1.9. 2010 – lyngba ka *Discovery Channel* la pyni bad iathuh ba ki Hati ki lop bniat jin haduh hynriew sien ha ka jingim jong ki kaba kot haduh 80 snem. Ki bniat jong ki ki lop kloï namar man ka sngi ki bam shibun bah ka jingbam, kiba kynthup

Īa ki jingbam kiba jwat kum ki snieh dieng, ki sla siej, ki phlang ba bun jait bad Īa kiwei kiwei de ki jaid jingbam.

U Hati, haba u dom, u pynmih Īa ka jingpah ba mih na u kpoh jong u, kaba sawa khur – khur – khur.

Ha kawei ka jingpyni ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television* ha u bnai *May* jong ka snem 2000, la pyni ba ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* ki la siat pynĭap Īa kawei ka kynhun Hati kaba don kumba laiphew tylli ki Hati namar, ba ki Hati ki la bun than ha kawei ka *National Park* ba don ha Africa. Īa ka doh jong kita ki Hati ki thad pyntyrykhong Īa ka ha ka ding, khnang ba ki briew kin ĩoh ban bam. Īa ka snieh jong kita ki Hati pat, ki pyndonkam Īa ka ha kaba suh Īa ki Jacket bad shna Īa ki Synduk snieh.

Īa ki bniat Hati la ju buh rong ruh Īa ki ha ki ĩing ki sem jong kibakhraw batri. Kumba ar phew snem mynshwa une u Nongthoh u la leit donkam sha Tripura Castle, ka ĩing kaba don ha Risa Colony, Shillong bad kaba long ruh ka ĩing ba u Syiem Tripura u ju sah, ha ka por ba u don ha Shillong, bad u la ĩohi ba ha ka kamra pdeng jong kane ka ĩing, la buh rong ban pynitynnad, Īa ki artylli ki bniat Hati kiba heh bad ba jrong bha.

“Ki Nong – Karen ha ki shnong jong ki, ki pyndonkam Īa ki Hati ban lur Īa ki lyngkha ki risa jong ki, ha ka Om koi District jong ka Chiang Mai *Province* jong ka ri Thailand ba shatei. Ki pyntrei Īa ki Hati ha ki lyngkha jong ki kum shi bynta ban ĩai bteng Īa ka rukom rep ba tynrai jong ki bad ban kyntiew ruh Īa ka kam leit jngoh pyrthei”.

Īa kane ka bynta ba haneng la sot Īa ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor *Mawphor Today*, kaba la mih ha u August 9, 2009 ha ka sla 1.

“Dangshen, ki *businessmen*, ki briew ba trei Īa la ka jong ka kam ha ka Ri Sri-Lanka, ki la shna kot sada na ka eit jong ki Hati. Nyngkong ki thad pynrkhiang shuwa Īa ka eit Hati ha ka sngi; ynda la rkhiang ki shet pat Īa kabad ki sa tyllait Īa ka ha ki kor ki bor khnang ba kan long kot sada”.

“Ha ka *Maximus (Private) Limited*, lai ngut ki briew ba trei Īa ka kam la jong ki la sdang nyngkong bad *patent* Īa kane ka rukom ba kyrpang ban *recycle* ne pyndonkam pat Īa ka eit Hati. Īa ki phra tylli ki Hati ba don hangta la peit bniah bha Īa ki jingbam bad Īa ka eit jong ki. “Peit Īa kane”, la ong u Thusitha Ramasinghe, uba long uwei na ki trai jong ka Kharkhana *Maximus (Private) Limited*, da kaba bat Īa kawei ka kot sada ba long rong kum u *Coffee* ba la khleh dud. Īa kane ka kot sada la ĩoh Īa ka na ka eit jong u Hati ba la bam Īa ki sla jong ki diengtĭai”.

“Īa ka kot sada ba long stang ka rong kum u lang ĩap la shna Īa ka na ka eit jong u Hati, uba la bam Īa ki sla jong ki dieng snep kor”.

“Ha ka kharkhana *Maximus*, Īa kaba la jer kyrteng ha ka kyrteng jong u nong supply ba kongsan Īa ka *raw material* ne ka mar ba kin shna kot sada uba long u Hati Asia ne *Elephas maximus* ki sngewynnad ban ĩathuh Īa ki nongthied kot sada nangno ka kot sada jong ki ka wan”.

“Ki pynkynmaw Īa ki nongtheid ba ha man ka shi *ton* ka kot sada ba la shna na ka eit Hati ka pyllait hpdeng 15 bad 20 tynrai ki dieng bad man ka 10 *kilogram* jong ka eit Hati la pynmih hpdeng 80 bad 100 *sheet* ne sla ki kot sada”.

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“U Ramasinghe uba long u nongshon kot bad u nongpynkhih ba kongsan ha kaba la seng ĩa kane ka kharkhana, u la sngewthuh ba u la ĩoh tih ĩa ka ksiar haba u la pule shaphang u nong *Kenyan Game Ranger*, uba la leh *experiment* ban shna kot sada na ka eit Hati. “Ha Sri Langka ngi long kumba ngi shong halor ka eit Hati”, u la ong”.

“Khngang ban pynlong ĩa ka kot sada ba la shna na ka eit Hati kaba khlaifi bad ban neh slem, la khleh lang ruh bad khyndiat ka kot sada bym donkam shuh (*Waste Paper*) ha ka eit Hati ba la pynkhreh ban shna kot sada”.

Ĩa kane ka bynta la sot ĩa ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor, *The Northeast Daily* halor ka heading, “*Lankans Find Gold in Elephant Dung*”, kaba la mih ha ka 7 tarik u bnai, Jymmang (*May*) 2001 ha ka sla ba 6.

Ki briew ki ju buh pynitynnad ruh ha ki ĩing ki sem jong ki, ĩa ki dur Hati ba la oh dur oh dar ha ki dieng, ki maw ki nar bad don ruh ĩa kiba ki la thaw na ka dewbyrtha. ĩa kine ki jingoh dur oh dar ki briew, ki thied ĩa ki na ki dukan ba don ha ki sorbah ba die tang ĩa ki jingoh dur oh dar ĩa ki mrad ba bun jaid bad ĩa ki tiar jingbuh jingsat ban pynitynnad ĩa la ki jong ki ĩing ki sem.

Ĩa ka shukiba la shna na ki shyieng Hati ba kynthup ĩa ka shyieng shynrong khlieh, ki shyieng kjat bad kiwei kiwei ki jaid shyieng jong ki Hati lah ban lap ĩa ka, ba ka don hapoh ka *Don Bosco Musuem* kaba don ha Mawlai. U Guide u la ĩathuh ba la wan rah ĩa kane ka shukiba la shna da ki shyieng Hati na Nagaland.

Ha kylleng ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri, la lap ba don ki jingoh dur oh dar, ĩa ki Hati ha ki maw kibaheh bad ba rben; don ruh ba ki la shna ĩa ka dur Hati baheh bha da ka dewbilat. Ha *Jantia Hills District* la lap ba don kine ki jing oh dur oh dar ĩa ka dur Hati ha ki maw kumne harum: -

U Moo – Hati ne u Maw – Hati, u don hapoh ka dong Shilliangraij, Jowai. Une u dei ruh u ryngkew ubasa jong ka dong khonraij ĩa kaba la tip ruh kum ka dong Shilliangraij.

Ha shnong Wyrto (Barato) don uwei u Maw – Hati. Ki trai shnong ki ĩathuh ba uta u Hati u dei u Hati jong u Syiem Slieng jong ka Hima Mukroh. Dei hadien ka jingshah pynĭap jong u Syiem Slieng ha ka Syiem Latympang ba uta u Hati, u la sngewsih kthang bad um treh shuh ban bam ban dih bad u la leit dem ha kata ka jakabad hadien u sa kylla Hati maw.

Kumba lai mer tam na ka shnong Moolber, hangne, don uwei u maw ba heh bad ba rben bha. Halor jong une u maw don ka jing oh-dur oh-dar ĩa ka dur Hati, ka Skei bad u ‘Len – lum (*Python*). Ki trai shnong ki ĩathuh ba dei u Sajar Ĕiangli uba la oh dur oh dar ĩa ki dur jong kitei ki mrad halor jong uta u maw.

Ha ka pung sum u Syiem Jaintia, kaba don hajan ka jingkieng Umpubon sha ka liang ka diang haba leit na Jowai sha Muktapur, ha kane ka pung don ka dur u Hati ba la oh dur oh dar ha u mawsniang uba heh ba rben bad ba ker sawdong kum ka kynroh ĩa kane ka pung sum.

Shaneng pat, harud ka jingkieng Umpubon hi, don sa uwei u Maw Hati ĩa uba la oh-dur oh-dar ha u maw, uba kat ban biang ka jingheh bad hangne la pyni ĩa ka jing oh-dur oh-dar ĩa u Hati ba dang dem.

Ha ka shnong Tamu, hangne ruh, don uwei u Mawhati uba heh bha. Ya kane ka dur Hati la shtah ya ka, ha uwei u maw uba heh bad ba rben bha.

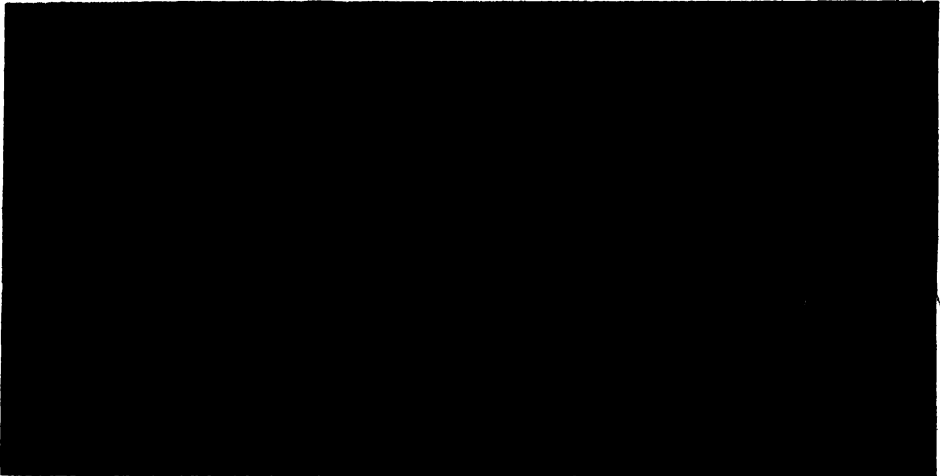
“Guwahati, *December 15 2010*: Lehse ha Assam la buh *record* ne jingthoh nyngkong haba ka Hati ba kyrteng ka Alka, kaba 30 snem ka rta, ka Hati ba ri ki briew ka la kha khun synrop kynthei ar tylli ha ka *Orang National Park* ha ka por 9 baje hynnin mynmiet. Ki khun synrop ki shait ki khlaifi bha.”

“Ngam pat ju ioh sngew ba ka Hati ba kan kha khun synrop, hynrei, ngam dei u *expert* ha kane ka liang. Lehse ka la jia ha kawei pat ki jaka” u *Chief Conservation of Forest (Wildlife)* U Suresh Chand u la iathuh ha u Pullock Dutta uba thoh ya kane ka khubor.

“U Bhupen Talukdar uba dei u *Elephant expert* u la ong wat la ka long kaba fiar, ki la don ki khap ba ki Hati kynthei ki kha khun synrop bad wat kiba kha khun haduh lai tylli shisien kha (*Triplets*). Ki Hati ki long kum ki briew bad ka jingkha khun synrop ka lah ban jia, hynrei kane ka long kaba fiar bha haduh katta katta” u la ong.

Ya kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka sla nyngkong jong ka kot khubor *The Telegraph*, kaba la mih ha ka 16 tarik u *December 2010* halor ka *heading*, “*Jumbo Double Delight A Rare Occurance*”. Ya ka dur ba la shon hangne ruh la shim na ka juh ka kot khubor.

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***Ki Hati kiba shim bynta ha ka Republic Day Parade ha New Delhi***

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## KI MYNTHNA

Ki Mynthna ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Mynthna hi. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki Ramsial. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki ki Marong lane ki Matchu Burung. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Indian Bisons* lane ki *Gaurs*.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ĩathuh ba ki Mynthna ki don lai jaid. Kiba heh duh ki long kiba don Syntai (Kyrton) halor ka met jong ki. ĩa ki kĳat ba shakhmat jong ki, naneng mat-khohsiew sharum haduh ban poi ha ki khnap, bad ĩa ki kĳat ba shadien jong ki naduh mat-khohsiew haduh ban da poi ha ki khnap la sop ĩa ki da u shĳiuh ba lieh ka rong. ĩa kine kiba heh duh la tip ruh ĩa ki kum ki Masi blai (Masi blei) ha ka ktien Jaintia, bad ki Masi Prut ha ka ktien Khasi. ĩa ki Mynthna ba-ar ha ka jingheh la khot ĩa ki, ki Mynthna Shakuliar ha ka ktien Jaintia bad ki Mynthna khlem Syntai ha ka ktien Khasi. Ki long ruh ki jaid Mynthna ki bym don ka jingsop rong lieh ha ki kĳat jong ki. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba lam spud bad heh khyndiat ĩa ki Sier. Kiba rit duh ki dei ki Mynthna ĩong. Kine ki kham rit khyndiat ĩa ki Mynthna Shakuliar, bad ĩa ka met jong ki baroh shirynteng la sop da u shĳiuh uba lyngkot, ba khah, ba lam khaiĳ bad ba ĩong tlem ka rong. Ki long ruh ki jaid Mynthna ki bym don syntai bad kim don ruh ka jingsop rong lieh ha ki kĳat jong ki.

Baroh lai jaid ki Mynthna, ka rukom im, ka shongkha shongman, ka rukom bam bad ka jingmlien jong ki ka long kumjuh. Namarkata, yn thoh bniah hangne shaphang ki Mynthna baheh duh bad na kane ka jingthoh bad jingbatai, ki nongpule kin sngewthuh ĩa ka jingim bad jinglong jong ki Mynthna baroh.

Ki Mynthna ki long ki jaid mrad kiba heh tam napdeng ki jaid mrad baroh kiba ktha arsien, kumba long ki Masi, (kaba ktha arsien ka long kaba pynmih biang ĩa ka jingbam, ba la lah bam na ki snier sha ka shyntur ban ktha pat ĩa kata ka jingbam sa shisien). Ka dur ka dar jong ki Mynthna ruh ka ĩasyriem bha bad ki Masi, hynrei, ki long pat kiba metbah, ba khlaifĳbor, ba heh bha bad ki reng jong ki ruh ki kham heh kham jrong kham bun shah ban ĩa ki reng Masi.

Ki Mynthna shynrang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 7 pruh. Haba ki teng, naduh ka slakjat ba shakhmat jong ki haduh ka tyrpeng, ki jrong 6 pruh. Ka kynĳan jong ka shadem jong ki ka heh ne pyiar naduh ka tyrpeng ka mon haduh ka tyrpeng ka diang 5 pruh. Ki lah ban khia haduh 900 *kilo* tam, katba ki Mynthna kynthei pat ki kham rit bad ki khia hapoh 700 *kilo*. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba pyiar shi pruh naduh ka shkor ka mon haduh ka shkor ka diang jong ki. Halor ka khlieh jong ki mih ar tylli ki reng kiba heh bha, ba pyllun, ba kdor pyrkhung shakhmat bad ka kliar jong ki reng ka long kaba nep bha. Ki reng ki long kiba eh, ba khlaifĳ bad ki jrong ar pruh tam. Hynrei, ki reng jong ki Mynthna kynthei pat, ki long kiba kham rit bad bym khlaifĳ bor kum ki jong ki shynrang. Ki pyndonkam ĩa ki reng jong kiban ĩada ĩalade na kiwei pat ki mrad kiba mut ban pynĳap bad bam ĩa ki. Teng teng, ki Mynthna ki ĩoh ban pynĳap wat ĩa u Khla ruh, da kaba tynrah bad dung da ki reng jong ki. Hynrei, bunsien hi, dei u Khla ba ĩoh ban pynĳap ĩa ki. Ki pyndonkam ruh ĩa ki reng jong ki ha kaban ĩatynjuh bor bad ban ĩa knieh ban long heh ne nongĳalam para Mynthna shynrang. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kum ki shkor Masi, hynrei ki kham heh khyndiat ĩa ki shkor Masi. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba heh kum ki khmat Masi. Ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh ki long kum ki jong ka Masi. Ki kĳat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaifĳ bad ki don bad ki khnap ba long kum ki jong ka Masi. U tdong jong ki u jrong 2 pruh shiteng bad ha kliar u tdong don

ki shñiuh ba jrong bad long saphum kum u tdong Masi. Da u tdong jong ki, ki kaweh ban beh ãa ki skaiñ, ki pyrjong bad ãa ki khñiang ba don thapbniang kiba dait bad pynwit ãa ki.

Ïa ka met jong ki Mynthna la sop da u shñiuh ba lyngkot, ba khah, ba khaiñ bad ba ñong ka rong. Hynrei, ãa ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki, na neng mat-khohsiew sharum haduh ban da poi ha ki khnap bad ãa ki kjat ba shadien jong ki naduh mat-khohsiew haduh ban da poi ha ki khnap, la sop ãa ki da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong.

Ki Mynthna ki long ki mrad kiba im ha ka kynhun kaba rit, hapteng saw bad phra tylli. Hynrei teng teng, don ka kynhun kaba kham heh kaba don hapteng phra bad khad-ar tylli. Hynrei ha ka por step bad por janmiet la juh ñohi, ba ki ñabam phlang halor ki lum phlang kham bun tylli. Haba ki ñadon kham bun tylli kumne, ka mut ba ki don bun kynhun bad kumta lah ban khot ãa ki, ki Mynthna bhur. Ha ka por ba shit kyrang ka sngi, ki ju shongthait, da kaba dem ha trai jong ki dieng ha ka jaka ba ki khlaw ki kham rben, bad ki dieng ki kah syrngiew ãa ki. Ha ka por ba ki dem, ki ju ktha arsien ãa ka jingbam ba ki la dep bam. Ka por step bad ka por janmiet ka long ka por ba ki wad jingbam. Ki bam ãa u phlang, ãa ki sla ki kdait, ki sder, ki prut, ãa ki lungsiej bad ãa ki sla jong ki dieng ki siej bad ki sla jong ki dieng synsar. Ki ju leit dih um na ki wah man ka sngi. Ha ki jaka ba don ki um mluh ki ju leit dih um mluh ruh man ka sngi.

Ki Mynthna shynrang ba la san la rangbah, ki ñaid bad im marwei ne para ba la rangbah. Hynrei, ha ka aïom shongkha shongman, ki leit ban ñabam phlang bad ki kynthei. Ka aïom shongkha jong ki ka long hapteng u Naiweng (*November*) bad u laïong (*April*). Ha ka aïom shongkha jong ki, ha ki khlaw ba don ki Mynthna, ka khyrwin da ka jingpah ba ki shynrang ki pynmih kaba sawa jam bad ba lah ban ñoh sngew kham na jngai, kaba long syriem kumba siaw. Haba ki pah kumne ka pyni ba ki kwah paralok kynthei ban ñapoikha. Ka rukom ñapoikha jong ki ka long kumba ñapoikha ki Masi.

Ka por pun jong ki ka long phra bnai tam haduh khyndai bnai. Ki ju kha khun iwei shi snem; teng khat eh ju don kiba kha synrop ne kha ar tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ka kmie ka ñeng bad haba ka kha i khun i hap ha madan. Nangta ka jliah ãa i da u thylliej kumba pynsum, bad tang hadien shipor i la ñeng bad i la sdang ban buriñ. Hadien kane, ka kmie ka sa leit ñalam ãa la i khun sha la ka kynhun. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapoh shisnem. Ki Mynthna ki sdang ban khie samla ynda ki la dap lai snem. Ki kynthei ki lah ban sdang ñoh khun ynda ki la dap lai snem shaneng.

Ki Mynthna ki long ki jaid mrad kiba kiar bad tieng ãa u briew. Hynrei u Mynthna ba la mynsaw bad ka Myntha ba dang ri khun, ki long kiba dom riang bad ki lah ban tur briew. Barabor, ki Mynthna haba ki ñohi ba don briew ba wan shajan jong ki, ki phet noh na kata ka jaka. Ki long ruh ki mrad ki bym ju pynjot ãa ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Mynthna ki long kiba don ka bor jingiw kaba khlañ bha. Ka jingsma ba mih na ka met jong ki ruh, ka kham jur ban ãa ka jingsma ba mih na ka met jong ka Masi. Kane ka jingjur jong ka jingsma ka ñarap ãa kito ki Mynthna kiba la kum ñaid sakma ban lap ãa la ka kynhun. Haba ki don ha ka jingma ki ju pynmih ãa ka jingpyrsad kaba jur bad kaba sawa jam. Haba ki dom, ki ju pah jam kumba pah ki Masi ban khot ãa ki khun. Ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynneh pynsan ãa la ki khun ka hap ha ki kmie Mynthna. Namar ki Mynthna shynrang ki tang shu dep ban ñapoikha, ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki ãa la ki khun ruh ka la kut noh.

U Bah Dwor Mukhim u la ñathuh ba ha ka snem 1968, u la ñoh ban siat ãa uwei u Mynthna, ha ka phud wah jong ka wah Mynkhen. Nyngkong, u la ai daiñ na khlieh u Mynthna bad u la kyllon khram. Hynrei, tang shiphang da ka jingsted kaba i phylla u la poi hajan jong u. Namar ba u

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pyndonkam da ka suloi ba ar ktang, kumta u siat biang sa shi kuli na tyrpeng, bad uta u Mynthna u la kyllon biang. Ma u ruh u thep kuli biang, bad tang shipor uta u Mynthna u la ñeng biang bad u la kyllon biang hynrei, u dang pyrsad mynsiem bha phia-phia-phia. Kumta u la siat sa shi kuli na ka shkor uta u Mynthna, bad u la kyrthlap ñap hajuh. Dei hadien ba u la siat san kuli, ba sa ñap uta u Mynthna.

Kumba sanphew snem tam mynshwa, ki Mynthna ki dang jytlei bha ha kylleng ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya, kum sha thaiñ Ummat, Lakadong, Wataw (Bataw), Garompani, hapoh Saipung Sirdarship, sha ki khlaw ba don harud ka wah Mynkhen, sha thaiñ Hingkaria, Huroi, hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka jong ka West Khasi Hills District, ha East Khasi Hills District bad ha Ri Bhoi District. Ha Garo Hills ruh ki dang jytlei bha ha kylleng ki jaka. Hynrei kumba long mynta, ki Mynthna hapoh Khasi Hills bad Jaintia Hills ki la don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid. Ki dang khambun hapoh ka *Nongkhyllum Reserved Forest* bad ha ka *Umsaw Reserved Forest*. Hynrei, wat hapoh kine ki khlaw tyngkai ña ki mrad ruh, ki dang don ha ki jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid namar, ki nongsiatklep ki juh rung tuh shapoh kine ki khlaw, bad siat pynñap ña kiba bun jaid ki mrad. Namarkata, ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* bad ki trai shnong ba don hajan kine ki khlaw, ki dei ban long kiba peitngor bad ñaleh ruh ban ñada katba ki lah, ban khanglad ña ka jingwan rungguh jong ki nongsiat klep shapoh kine ki khlaw, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ña baroh ki jaid mrad ba don hapoh kine ki khlaw. Ha Jaintia Hills, ki dang sah sa khyndiat sha thaiñ Khaikasla, sha thaiñ Garompani, hapoh Saipung Sirdarship bad hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut. Ha Garo Hills, la lap ba ki Mynthna ki dang don kham bun hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, ha *Siju Wildlife Sanctuary*, sha thaiñ Jaisrugittam, Badri Rongdeng Gittin, ha ka *Songsak Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki 'lawbah 'lawsan.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Mynthna:

U Bah Riangkhrroo Laloo, uba long uwei na ki nongai dawai Pnar ba pawnsam bha, u la ñathuh ba ka khnap ba don ha ki kjat kong ki Mynthna, ka long ka dawai ña ka jingpang Ñiangkhnap ki Masi. Khrud ni ña ka khnap Mynthna bad khleh ña kabad u kyndok; sa song ña kane ka dawai ha ka sla lakait, bad sa ai ban bam ka Masi ba pang Ñiangkhnap, bad kan sa koit. Lada phi don ka khnap Mynthna, wah ña ka halor ka jingkhang jong ka sem Masi, khnang ba ki Masi jong phi kin lait na ka jingpang Ñiangkhnap.

Ña ki reng ba itynnad jong ki Mynthna, ki briew jong ngi ki ju wah rong ña ki ha la ki ñing ki sem.

Ki briew jong ngi bad kiwei pat ki jaid riwulum ruh, ki bam bha ña ka doh Mynthna. Kumta kan bha shibun ban ñaleh noh ban ri ña ki Mynthna kumba ri ña ki Masi, khnang ban lah ban pynneh pynsah ña ki. Lada ngi jop ban ri ña ki Mynthna, kan long ka jingmyntoi kaba khrav ña ki briew jong ngi bad ña ka jylla hi baroh kawei, namar, kumba long mynta man ka snem da ki klur tyngka la hap ban thied ña ki Masi nabar jylla, khnang ban pyndap ña ka jingdawa doh Masi jong ki briew ba shong hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya.

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## Lynnong 4

### KI SHYNREH KHLAW

Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ña ki kum ki Muid Khloo. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Matma, la tip ruh ña ki kum ki Matdi lane ki Matma – Goel. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ña ki kum ki *Wild Buffaloes*.

Ki Shynreh khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba heh bha. Haba ki la san pura bha, ki Shynreh khlaw shynrang ki lah ban khia haduh 900 *kilo* tam. Katba ki Shynreh khlaw kynthei pat ki kham rit khyndiat bad ki khia 700 *kilo* tam. Napdeng ki jaid mrad khlaw baroh kiba don bad ki reng, ki reng jong ki Shynreh khlaw ki long kiba jrong tam bad ki reng jong ki, ki jrong haduh lai phut tam. Ki reng jong ki Shynreh khlaw kynthei ki kham jrong ban ña ki reng jong ki Shynreh khlaw shynrang, tangba, ki long kiba kham rit ha ka jingheh ban ña ki reng jong ki shynrang. Ki reng bajrong jong ki, ki long kiba lyngknap bad kim long kiba pyllun kumba long ki reng jong ki Mynthna, bad ki long ruh kiba kdor pyrkhung. Ki don ruh kiba ki reng jong ki, kim kdor pyrkhung hynrei ki long kiba beit bad phai shadien. Ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong hapdeng phra phut tam bad khyndai phut tam. Haba ki ñeng pat, naduh ka sla kjat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapdeng san phut tam bad hynriew phut tam.

Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh; ki shkor jong ki, ki long kum ki shkor Masi hynrei, ki kham heh khyndiat ña ki shkor Masi. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh kum ki khmat Masi. Ka khmut jong ki bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh ka long kum ka jong ki Masi. Ki khnap jong ki ruh ki long kum ki khnap Masi hi, tangba ki kham heh ban ña ki khnap Masi. U tdong jong ki u long uba jrong bad ha klier jong u tdong don u shñiuh ba long saphum kumba long u tdong Masi.

U Bah S.G. Monin uba la ju long u *S.P.* jong ka *Jaintia Hills District*, u la thoh da ka shithi sha une u Nongthoh bad u la ñathuh lyngba kata ka shithi ba ki Shynreh khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills ki long ki Shynreh khlaw ba paka, bym pat don ka jingñashongkha khleh bad ki Muid ne ki Shynreh ba la ri da ki briew. ña ka met jong ki Shynreh, baroh shirynñeng la sop da u shñiuh uba lam byñong ka rong.

Ki Shynreh khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba im ha ka kynthun kaba don hapdeng Shiphew bad Arphew tylli. Ki wad jingbam bha ha ka por step bad por janmiet. Mynsngi, ki sngewtynnad ban kyrsum ñalade hapoh ka ktieh ne han dem hapoh um bad pyllait tang ña ka khmut bad khlieh shalor ka um. Ki kyrsum ktieh khnang ba ka ktieh kan dambit halor ka snieh jong ki bad da kaba leh kumne kan ñada ña ki na ka jingdait jong ki khñiang ba bun jaid. Ki ju dem kai ruh ha ka por sngi ha trai jong ki phlang kiba jrong. Haba ki dem ban shongthait ki ju ktha arsien ña ka jingbam ba ki la dep bam, syriem kumba long ki Masi. Ki bam bha ña u phlang, ki khah, ki sder, ki sla synsar bad ña ki sla ba lung jong ki dieng bad ki siej.

Ki Shynreh khlaw, lada ki don hajan ki jaka rep jong ki briew, ki ju pynjulor bha ña ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong ki briew, bad ka long kaba shitom ban beh krad ña ki na ki jaka rep. Ha kane ka liang ki ñapher ka jinglong bad ki Mynthna, ki bym ju pynjot ne pynjulor ña ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Shynreh khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba shlor bad ba dom riang bha. Haba wan u Khla ban dait ña uno uno u Shynreh, baroh ki Shynreh ki ña ñeng shrak bad phai pyrshah sha u Khla bad ña ki khun rit ki buh ña ki hapdeng jong ki. Hynrei, haba u Khla u la ñoh ban dait ña i khun, ka Kmie Shynreh ka

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leit beh ĩa u Khla bad lada ka ĩoh, kan tynrah da ki reng jong ka ĩa u Khla. Hynrei, lada i khun i la mynsaw jur, te kam lah shuh ban ĩarap ĩa i bad u Khla u sa ĩoh ban bam ĩa ka doh jong ita i khun Shynreh. Namar ba ki Shynreh khlaw ki long kiba ĩatylli bad ba ai ruh ĩa ka jingĭada lang haba wan u Khla, kumta u Khla u kham shitom ban ĩoh ban pynĭap ĩa ki.

Ki Shynreh khlaw ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Masi. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapdeng shiphew bnai bad khadwei bnai tam. Ki ju kha ruh tang iwei i khun ha ka shisnem. Ka por ri khun jong ki ruh ka long hapoh shisnem. Ka por shongkha jong ki ruh ka long kaba huri hura bha. Namar, barabor ka don ka jingĭaleh markynti bad ka jingĭa aireng hapdeng ki Shynreh khlaw shynrang, kiba la san, bad ki nongjop ki ĩoh ban ĩapoikha bad ka Shynreh Kynthei kaba ki kwah. Kito kiba khlaiĭ bor ki long ruh kiba kwah ban buh kham bun ki kynthei ba kin ĩoh ban ĩa shongkha. Kumta ki Shynreh khlaw shynrang kiba dang sdang khie samla bun sien ki ju shah beh ha kiba la san bad ki ju leit shongkha bad ki Shynreh Kynthei ba la ri ki briew.

Ki briew ki ju ĩathuh ba ki Shynreh ki ju beh ne tur ĩa u briew ne ka briew ba phong ne kup da ki jaiĭ kaba saw ka rong. Ka Kmie Shynreh kaba dang ri khun khamtam kato kaba dang shu ĩoh khun, ka long kaba dom riang bha bad kaba ma bha ban ĩakynduh. Haba u Shynreh u mut ban tur ĩa u para Shynreh u ju pah dom shwa lane u kyrdem ĩa la ki kĭat halor ka khyndew bad u beh artad ban tur ĩa uta uwei pat u Shynreh.

Kumba long mynta, ĩa ki Shynreh khlaw la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya sa tang sha Garo Hills; ha ri Khasi bad Jaintia, ki la duh jaid, wat hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut ruh ki la sah syllai satang iwei ar hangne hangtai. La lap ruh ba ki Shynreh khlaw ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki Ri.

### **Ka jingpyndonkam bad ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ĩoh na ki Shynreh:**

ĩa ki Shynreh, u briew u la ri ĩa ki da ki hajar snem mynshwa kat kumba la lap ha ka jingthoh ha ki kot History jong ka ri India ha ka bynta ba ĩadei bad ka *Mohenjodaro Civilization*. Ki briew naduh kato ka por ki ju pyndonkam ĩa ki *Seal* ba don da ka dur u Shynreh. Sha ri Dkhar ki briew ki ju pyndonkam ĩa ki Shynreh ba ki ri ban tan ĩa ki kali jong ki, syriem kumba ki Kulai ki tan ĩa ki kali Kulai ne kumba ki Masi Bordi ki ju tan ĩa ki kali Masi.

Ki briew sha ri Dkhar ki ju thad tyrkhong ĩa ka eit jong ki Shynreh ba ki ri bad ki sa pyndonkam ĩa ka ha kaba thang ding ban shet jingshet ha ki ĩing ki sem jong ki.

Sha ri Dkhar, don ki nongrep ba pyndonkam ĩa ki Shynreh ba ki la ri ban lur ĩa ki lyngkha ki risa jong ki.

Na ki Shynreh, ngi ĩoh ruh ĩa ka dud kaba bha bad ba rben bha ka malai. ĩa ka doh ki Shynreh ki briew jong ngi bad kiba bun ki jaid riwulum ki bam ĩa ka. Ka doh Shynreh ba la thad tyrkhong kabang kum ka doh Masi ba la thad tyrkhong hi. ĩa ka snieh jong ki Shynreh pat ki pyndonkam ĩa ka ha kaba suh Juti, syriem kumba ki leh ĩa ka snieh Masi.

Ha ka por ba long ka Durga Puja, teng teng ki khar Nepali ki ju ai ban pom da ki Shynreh, ha ka por Pom Blang bad ki bam ruh ĩa kata ka doh.

Ki briew jong ngi, namar, ba bun ka riat ka ram, kumta ki ju pyndonkam bha ĩa ki Shynreh ne ki Muid ban tan ĩa ki dieng na khlaw haduh ban poi ki jaka ba lait ki *truck* ban wan kit ĩa ki dieng.

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U Dr. J. S. Lister, ïa uba ngi ju khot icid u Bah Jasai, u la ïathuh ba ki jaid Sier ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Sambars*, ki don haduh hynriew jaid ha ki Ri kiba don hapoh ka dewbah Asia. Hynrei, ha ki lum jong ka Meghalaya ki don tang lai jaid. ïa kiba heh tam la tip ïa ki kum ki Sier Kynrem reng. Kiba ar ha ka jingheh ki dei ki Sier Sop bad kiba rit eh ki dei ki Sier Kdant.

#### 5.1 Ki Sier Kynrem reng.

Ki Sier Kynrem reng ki dei ki jaid Sier ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Sier Labung. Sha thairi Nongstoin la tip ïa ki kum ki Sor. Ki Biate ki khot ïa ki, ki Sajuk. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki ki Matasim. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ïa ki kum ki *Sambars*.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ïathuh ba ki Sier Kynrem reng, haba ki la san la pura bha ka khlich bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong hapdeng 5 phut tam bad 6 phut. Haba ki ïeng naduh ka slajat ba shakmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapdeng 4 phut tam bad 5 phut. Ki khia pat hapdeng 200 *kilo* tam bad 300 *kilo* tam. Ka khlich jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh kum ki shkor Masi. Ki khmat jong ki ruh, ki long kiba heh kum ki khmat Masi hi. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Ki mih bniat ruh tang na ka bynta ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki, kumba long ka Masi, hynrei u tdong jong ki pat, u long uba lyngkot bha haba ïa nujor bad u tdong Masi. U jrong tang kumba 6 inshi tam bad u long ruh uba lyngkniap.

Ki kjat jong ki Sier Kynrem reng baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba jrong bad ba khliar bha. Kumta ki lah ban ïaid sted, ban march sted, ban march ar kjat bad ban rynsied artad. Dei ha ka por ba don ki mrad kiba beh bad thmu ban pyniäp ïa ki, kum ki Khla, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw ba ki sei lut la ka bor, katha don, ban her ïap her im bad ban rynsied artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba don ki khnap, ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki, kumba long ki Masi. Ki long ruh kiba thit ban jngi.

ïa ka met jong ki Sier Kynrem reng la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba khar bad ba byrtem bthuh ka rong. Nalor ka met jong ki ha ka bynta ba don u budlum, ha ki matkhohsiew, ha ki sharang kjat (kata ha kiba nalor ki kjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba don ki shyieng kjat, kiba jrong naduh khohsiew haduh shwa ban poi ki khnap jong ki) bad ïa ki lbong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba ïong. ïa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop ïa ki da u shñiuh ba byrtem bthuh ka rong. ïa ka bynta ba nalor u tdong jong ki, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ïathuh ba ha u ïaiong (*April*) bad u Jymmang (*May*) u shñiuh ba bun jong ki Sier Kynrem reng u tlor noh. Hynrei ha kane ka por ki long pat kiba dap doh, ba kham sngaid bad ka rong jong ka met jong ki ka long kaba lam byrsaw bthuh. Ki Sier Kynrem reng ki don ruh bad u treng halor u ryndang jong ki. Hynrei, ki Sier Kynrem reng kynthei ki long ki bym don treng. Ki nongsiat mrad jong ngi, haba ki la ïoh ban siat ïap ïa u Sier Kynrem reng ki ju thang ïa u treng jong u, namarba don ki Sier kiba don khait uba mih ha ka jaka ba don u treng jong ki, bad ka long kaba shitom ban pynduh pyndam ïa u khait ba la bit na u Sier ha ka sniehdoh jong u briew. ïa ki Sier kiba la ïaw bad ba la tymmen pat, la sop ïa ka met jong ki da u shñiuh ba byriong bthuh ka rong.

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U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ïathuh ba ki Sier, ki Bthong bad ki Skei, ha ka por ba kin mih reng nyngkong eh ha ka jingim jong ki, mih shwa ka kynja snieh kaba sop ha ka jaka ban sa mih ki reng jong ki. Kane ka kynja snieh ka ju mih ha u Nailur. ïa kane ka jingmih jong kane ka kynja snieh, ki briew sha thaifi Khatkasla ki khot ïa ka, “Sap Laser” kaba mut ba dang sop ka snieh. Ha kane ka por ba dang don kane ka jingsop snieh, ka kliar jong ka ka long kaba jem bha. Kumta ki Sier, ki Bthong bad ki Skei ki shitom bha namar, kane ka bynta ba don ka jingsop snieh, ka long kaba jem bad kaba jur ka jingpang. Haba ki ïaid ruh ki da phikir bha ba ki dieng rit ne ki tnad dieng, kin nym ïoh ban dei ha kane ka bynta ba sop ka snieh. Namar, lada kum dei ki dieng rit ne ki tnad dieng, ha kane ka jaka ba sop snieh, te ka jingpang kan long ar shah. Namarkata ki Sier, ki Bthong bad ki Skei kiba dang sdang nyngkong ban mih reng ha ka jingim jong ki, ha u Nailur ki ïaleh ban don tang ha ki lum phlang. Barabor ruh, ki ju neh tang ha uwei u lum baroh shi bnai. Ha kane ka por, ki raikhoh bha, namar kim ïoh ban leit wad jingbam kumba ki kwah. Ha u bnai Risaw, la sdang ban paw khyndiat ki reng, ha ka jaka ba sop ka snieh bad ka kliar ki reng ruh ka la ch. Kumta, ka jingpang ruh ka la jah, katba kane ka kynja snieh ba sop ha ka jaka ba mih ki reng, ka nangran bad hiar sha trai jong ki reng. Ki reng pat ki nangrong shalor. Haba la paw ki reng khyndiat, ki Sier, ki Bthong bad ki Skei ki la khlaifi bad ki la lah ban leit wad jingham kylleng, kat sha ba ki mon ban leit.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ïathuh ruh ba u la ïoh ban siat ïa ki Sier, ki Bthong bad ki Skei ha ka por ba dang sop ka snieh, ha ka jakaban sa mih ki reng jong ki. U la ïathuh ba haba ktah ïa ka kliar jong kane ka jingsop snieh, ka long kaba jem bha.

Ki Sier Kynrem reng shynrang ki don ruh bad ki reng kiba heh, ba ïar, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaifi, ba paitpnat bad ba itynnad bha. Ki reng jong ki, ki ju paitpnat 6 pnat shiliang ne 12 pnat ha baroh ar liang jong ka reng jong ki. Kawei na ki reng jong ki Sier Kynrem reng, kaba heh, ba wandur wandar bad ba itynnad bha, ka dei ka jong u Bah Phedrik Lathong (Bam kwai ha dwar u Blei). La ïathuh ba u la siat ïa uta u Sier, ha ka jaka kaba ki khot “Lang - et”, kaba don hajan ka shnong Umphung. Ha khap ki pnat jong ka reng jong uta u Sier, la lap ba don bad ka skum jong ki Sim Jyrwat (Yirwat), ha ka por ba la ïoh ban siat ïap ïa uta u Sier. ïa kata ka reng kaba heh bad ba itynnad dang lah ban ïohi ïa ka haduh kine ki sngi, ha ka ïing khun jong u Bah Phedrik Lathong, kaba don ha shnong Sahnsiang. Katba ki Sier Kynrem reng kynthei pat, ki long ki bym don reng.

Ki reng jong ki Sier Kynrem reng bad kiwei kiwei ki jaid Sier ruh ki hap noh ha ka por Pyrem. Hynrei, ki tang shu la hap ki sdang noh ban mih da kiwei pat ki reng thymmai bad ki long ruh kiba kloï ban san ban heh bad ban jrong. Ha ka por ba ki reng jong ki kim pat jrong bha, ki Sier shynrang ki ju rieh ïalade hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Kumta ym ju kham ïohi ïa ki haba ki reng jong ki, ki dang lyngkot. Ki Sier ki pyndonkam ïa ki reng jong ki, ha kaban ïada ïalade, ban ïatur ne ïa aireng bad ban ïa tynjuh bor hapdeng para Sier shynrang. U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ïathuh ba ki Sier shynrang ynda ki la tymmen bha ki reng jong ki, ki hap noh bad kim mih reng shuh. Sha thaifi Khatkasla, ïa ki Sier tymmen ki bymdon reng shuh ki khot ïa ki “Ki Ser Lyngngong” kaba mut ki Sier kiba long lyndum khlem reng.

U Bah M. M. Thaifang u la ïathuh ba ha ka por lyiur, haba ki Sier ki ïaid ha khlaw, wat la ki long ki mrad kiba heh ruh, ym lah ban ïohsngew ïa ka jingïaid jong ki. Kane ka lah ban long namar ba ka khyndew ka jem, ki sladieng ba tyrkhong ki la pyut lut bad ki tnad dieng rit kiba shroin ruh ki la pyut lut. Kumta ym don kiban pymih jingsawa haba ki ïaid. Hynrei, ha ka por tlang, namarba bun bad jyllei bha ki sla ba tyrkhong bad ki tnad dieng rit kiba shroin, kumta da kaba suk lah ban ïohsngew ïa ka jingïaid jong ki hapoh ki khlaw ki btap.

Ki Sier Kynrem reng ki long ki jaid mrad kiba sngewtynnad ban shong ban sah ha ki khlaw ki btap kiba don harud ki lum bad ki jaka rep ki jaka riang jong u khun bynriew. Ki long ruh kiba pynjutor bad ba pynjot ia ka rep ka riang jong ki briew. Barabor, ki ju leit ban bam sha ki jaka rep jaka riang ha ka por miet por synia, bad mar ia kynjat shai ki leit phai noh shapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Bunsien ruh, ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Hynrei, ha ki por dum sngi, la ju tohi ba ki leit wad jingbam wat ha ka por sngi ruh. Ki im da kaba bam ia u phlang, u khah, u ngor, ki sder, ki sla dieng, ki sla siej, u jangew-jathang, ki shylluut jong ki jingthung kiba mih ha ka mariang bad ia ki soh khlaw ba har rukom.

Ki Sier Kynrem reng ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Masi. Ki Sier shynrang ki ju leit shong leit sah bad ki Sier kynthei ha ka aïom shongkha shongman. Hynrei, mar ia kut ka samoi shongkha shongman ki phet noh bad faid la ka jong ka lynti. Ka por shongkha shongman jong ki ka long ha ka por tlang. Ha ka samoi shongkha shongman jong ki, barabor ka don ka jingiat, ka jingia aireng bad ka jingialeh markynti hapdeng ki Sier shynrang, bad kiba jop ki ioh ban iapoikha. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka long ha ka por lyiur. Ki juh kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Hynrei, teng khat eh ki ju don kiba kha synrap ar tylli ki khun shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shisnem tam.

U Bah Bniath Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Sier haba ki khun jong ki ki dang rit, kim ju ialam ia ki haba ki leit wad jingbam. Ki khun ba dang rit, bunsien ki thiah khop khop ha trai jong ki phlang kiba khah bad jrong, khnang ba kiwei pat ki mrad kiba lah ban pyniap ia ki kin nym lah ban iohi ia ki. Hynrei, ki kmie jong ki, ynda ka pla jymbuiñ bad ki soh jymbuiñ jong ki ki la dap bad ki la suh, ki la sngewthuh ba ki khun jong ki ki la thngan bad ki sa leit ban ai buiñ ia la ki khun. Ha ka por ba ki leit ban ai buiñ ruh, ynda ki la poi shajan ka jaka ba ki khun jong ki ki thiah ki dem ha trai jong ki phlang kiba khah bad kiba jrong, ki ju pah "Kiak - kiak - kiak", khnang ba ki khun jong ki kin iohsngew bad leit sha ka jaka ba ki don, bad ki sa ai ba ki khun jong ki kin buiñ haduh ba kin da kdang. Ynda ki khun jong ki ki la kdang, ki leit dem bad thiah biang ha trai jong ki phlang ba khah bad ba jrong. Ki kmie jong ki pat ki leit wad jingbam biang. Ynda ki khun jong ki, ki la dap 8 bnai bad ki la khlaif bha, te ki sa ialam ia ki kat shaba ki leit.

Ki Sier Kynrem reng kynthei bad kiwei pat ki jaid Sier kynthei ruh, ki dei ki nongpeit nongsylli, ki nongri nongsumar, ki nongbsa nongpjiah bad ki nongpynheh nongpynsan ia la ki khun, namarba, ki Sier shynrang, tang shu kut ka samoi shongkha shongman, ka kamram bad ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki na ka bynta la ki khun ruh ka la kut noh. Hynrei, ki khun Sier shynrang kiba la iehnoh ban buiñ tangba kim pat san pura bad kim pat lah ban im marwei kumba long kiwei pat ki Sier shynrang kiba la heh bad la san pura bha, ki ju im ryngkat bad la ki jong ki kmie. Ki Sier Kynrem reng ki ju im hapoh ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba don hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli. Hynrei ka kynhun kaba kham heh ka lah ban don hapdeng 8 bad 12 tylli. Ka kynhun ka kynthup ia ka meirad jong ki kaba long kaba heh tam, kaba tymmen tam, kaba stad tam bad ka nongialam jong ka kynhun, ki khun kynthei jong kabad ki khun ksiew jong ka shynrang bad kynthei kiba dang buiñ, ki khun ba la ioh ksiew kynthei bad shynrang kiba la iehnoh ban buiñ hynrei ki bym pat lah ban im marwei.

"Ki Sier, ki Skei bad kiwei kiwei ki jaid mrad kiba im hapoh ka kynhun, ki long kiba phikir bha na ka bynta ba ka kynhun kan lait na kano kano ka jingma. Barabor, wat haba ki dang ia bam phlang ruh, ki pynkhih, ki pynphai bad pynshah ia la ki shkor, ha kata ka rukom ba kin dup iohsngew bad sngewthuh, ba lada don ki mrad kum ki Khla, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw kiba wan sha ka jaka ba ki don. Ka meirad jong ki kaba long ruh ka nongialam jong ka kynhun, ka tang shu sngewpher, ka la kyrdem tynggeh halor madan bad ka pah artad "Kiak - kiak", ban ai dak ai shin ia kiba bun ba lang, ba

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ki dei ban her lap her im bad krad noh na kata ka jaka, khnang ba kin dup lait na ka jingma, jingmysaw bad wat na ka jinglap hi”.

Ya kane ka bynta ba la thoh haneng, une u nongthoh, u la tohi bad iohsngew ruh ya ka jingbatai ha kawei na ki *programme* ba la pyni shaphang ki Sier, ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

U Bah M. M. Thafang u la iathuh ba don k1 briew hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut, kiba tbit bha ban peit ban sylli bad ban bishar ya ki dienjat jong ki Sier. Ki lah ban iathuh tang da kaba peit ya ki dienjat jong ki Sier, la kita ki dienjat jong ki, k1 long kiba dang shen ne kiba la kham slem. Ki lah wat ban iathuh ruh ba lada buddien ya kita ki Sier, dang lah ban lap ya ki ha ka juh ka sngi ne em. Bunsien, haba ki leit siat mrad, haba don bad kiba nang ban peit ya ki dienjat jong ki Sier, kim ju kham duh ban ioh siat Sier.

Ya ki Sier Kynrem reng la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka jong ka jylla Meghalaya. Hynrei, mynta te ki la fiar bha bad kim kynrei shuh, kumba long ha ki 45 ne 50 snem mynshwa. Ki lah ruh ban duh jaid noh na sla kane ka pyrthei, lynda ka don ka jingiatrei lang jong ki nongshong shnong ha ki jakabad thaiñ ba ki don, lem bad ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department*, khnang ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai ya ki. La lap ruh da k1 don ha kiwei pat k1 jylla jong ka Ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## 5.2 Ki Sier Sop.

Ki dei ki jaid Sier ya kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Ser Shakuliar. Ki Biata k1 khot ya ki ki Sakhi Ilian. Ki Garo ki khot ya ki ki Matchak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ya ki kum ki *Sambars* hi.

Ki Sier Sop ki long ki jaid Sier kiba ar ha ka jingheh, ya kiba la lap ba k1 don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 3 phut tam. Haba ki ieng naduh ka slakjat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong 2 phut. Ka khlieh jong ki ka kham rit ya ka khlieh ki Sier Kynrem reng. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh kum k1 shkor Masi. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki heh kat ki khmat Masi hi. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Hynrei, ki mih bniat pat tang na ka bynta ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki, kumba long ki Masi hi. U tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkot, u jrong tang 6 inshi tam bad u long ruh uba lyngknip kum u tdong ki Sier Kynrem reng.

Ki kjat jong ki Sier Sop ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlain bha. Kumta ki lah ban iaid sted, ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rypsied artad. Haba don ki mrad kiba beh bad thmu ban pynip ya ki, kum ki Khla, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw, ki sei lut la ka bor katba don ban her lap her im bad ban rypsied artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Ki don ki khnap ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki, kumba long ki Sier Kynrem reng bad ki Masi.

Ya ka met jong ki Sier Sop, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba khaiñ bad ba byrlieh bthuh rong dpei bad ka byrlong de malu mala. Nalor ka met jong ki, ha ka jaka ba don u budlum, ha ki matkhohsiew, ki sharang kjat bad ki lbong jong ki, ya kine ki bynta la sop da u shñiuh uba yong. Ya ka shadem jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba byrtem jngum ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba nalor u tdong jong ki, la sop ya ka da u

shñiuh ba òng ka rong, katba òa ka bynta ba napoh u tdong pat, la sop òa ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Sier Sop shynrang ruh ki long kiba don treng ha u ryndang jong ki, kumba long ki Sier Kynrem reng. Ki Nongsiat mrad jong ngi, haba ki la òoh ban siat òap òa u Sier Sop, ki ju thang òa u treng jong u namarba don ki Sier kiba don khait uba mih ha ka jaka ba don u treng jong ki. Ka long ruh kaba shitom bha ban pynduh pyndam òa u khait ba la bit na u Sier ha ka sniehдох jong u briew. Hynrei, Ki Sier Sop kynthei te kim ju don treng kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier kynthei.

Ki Sier Sop ki long kiba tbit bha ban jngi. Haba beh ki mrad òa ki, kum ki Kòla bad ki Suri, ki ju ryngkoh shapoh wah, bad ki jngi pynsted sha shiliang wah khnang ba kin lait im.

Ki Sier Sop, kumba long ki Sier Kynrem reng, ha ka por Lyiur ki ju hap ne tlor bun u shñiuh jong ki. Hynrei, ha kane ka por ki long kiba kham dap doh, ba kham sngaid bad ka rong jong ka met jong ki ka long kaba byrlieh rong dpei, bad don ruh katto katne u shñiuh ba òng ha ka met bad ki kjat jong ki.

Ki Sier Sop shynrang ki long kiba don bad ki reng halor ka khlieh jong ki, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier shynrang. Hynrei, ki Sier Sop kynthei pat, ki long ki bym don reng. Ki reng jong ki Sier Sop shynrang ki long kiba heh, ba òar, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaif, ba paitpnat bad ba itynnad bha. Hynrei, ki paitpnat tang lai tylli shiliang ne hynriew pnat ha baroh arliang ki reng jong ki. òa ki reng ki pyndonkam òa kiban òada òalade, ban òa aireng ne òatur bad ban òatynjuh bor para Sier shynrang.

Ki Sier Sop ki juh ban shong ban sah hapoh ki khlaw ki btap kiba don ha jan ki jaka rep ki jaka riang jong u khun bynriew. Ki long ruh kiba pynjulor bad ba pynjot òa ka rep ka riang jong ki briew. Ki ju leit ban bam sha ki jaka rep jaka riang tang ha ka por miet. Mar òakynjat shai, ki leit phai noh shapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Ki im da kaba bam òa u phlang, ki sder, ki sla dieng sla siej, ki shylliut jong ki jingthung kiba mih ha ka mariang bad òa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

Ki Sier Sop ki òapoikha òapoiman kumba òapoikha ki Masi. Ka por shongkha jong ki ka long myntlang. Ha ka òiom shongkha shongman jong ki, barabor ka ju don ka jingòatur, ka jingia aireng bad ka jingòaleh markynti hapteng ki Sier shynrang, bad kiba jop ki òoh ban òapoikha. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por Lyiur. Ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Hynrei, teng khat eh ki ju don kiba kha synrop ar tylli ki khun shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapteng shi snem bad shisnem tam.

Ki Sier Sop ruh, kumba long ki Sier Kynrem reng haba ki khun jong ki ki dang rit, kim ju òalam òa ki haba ki leit wad jingbam. Ki khun ba dangrit ki ju thiah khop khop ha trai jong ki phlang kiba khah bad kiba jrong, khnang ba kiwei pat ki mrad kiba lah ban pynòap òa ki, kin nym lah ban òohi òa ki. Ki kmie jong ki, ynda la suh ki jymbuif jong ki namar ba ki la dap da ka dud, ki la sngewthuh ba ki khun jong ki ki la thngan, bad ki sa leit ban ai buif òa la ki khun. Ha ka por ba ki leit ai buif, ynda ki la poi shajan ka jaka ba ki thiah ki dem ki khun jong ki, ki ju pah “Kiak – kiak - kiak”, khnang ba ki khun jong ki kin òohsngew bad leit shaba ki don, bad ki sa ai ba kin buif haduh ba kin da kdang. Ynda ki khun jong ki ki la dap 8 bnai bad ki la khlaif bha, te ki sa òalam òa ki kat shaba ki leit. Ki kmie Sier ki dei ki nongri nongsumar, ki nongbsa nongpjah bad nongpynheh pynsan òa la ki khun.

Ki Sier Sop ruh ki long kiba im hapoh ka kynhun. Ka kynhun ka lah ban don hapteng 4 bad 6 tylli, bad kaba kham heh ka ju don hapteng 8 bad 12 tylli. Ka kynhun ka kynthup òa ka

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meirad jong ki, kaba long kaba heh tam, kaba tymmen tam, kaba stad tam bad ka nongtalam jong ka kynhun, ki khun kynthei jong kabad ki khun ksiew jong ka shynrang bad kynthei, ki khun ksiew kynthei bad shynrang kiba la iehnoh ban buiñ, hynrei ki bym pat lah ban im marwei.

Ia ki Sier Sop la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka jong ka jylla Meghalaya. Hynrei, mynta ki la duna bad ñiar bha. Kumta ki lah ban duh jaid noh na kane ka sla pyrthei. Namarkata, ki brieve jong ngi bad ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* ki dei ban ñatrei lang, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai ña ki. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka Ri India, bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

### 5.3 Ki Sier Kdait.

Ki dei ki jaid Sier ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Ser Ladaw. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki ki Sarang Tuk. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki ki Marchak – Me'Sam. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Sambar* hi.

Ki Sier Kdait ki dei ki jaid Sier kiba rit eh, ña kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 3 phut. Haba ki ñeng naduh ka slajat ba shakmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong 2 phut duna. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka kham rit khyndiat ña ka khlieh jong ki Sier Sop. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh kum ki shkor jong ki Masi Lyngraw. Ki khmat jong ki ruh, ki heh kat ki khmat jong ki Masi Lyngraw. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Ki mih bniat ruh tang na ka bynta ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier bad ki Masi. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba kha ar sien kumba long ki Masi. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot, u jrong tang 6 inshi tam bad u long uba lyngkñiap kumba long u tdong jong kiwei pat ki jaid Sier.

Ki kjat jong ki Sier Kdait ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlaifñ bha. Kumta, ki lah ban ñaid sted bad ban mareh sted ruh. Ki lah ruh ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rynsied ruh, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier. Haba don ki mrad kiba beh ña ki kum ki Khla, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw, ki sei lut la ka bor katba don ban her ñap her im da kaba mareh ar kjat bad rynseid artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba don ki khnap, ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier bad ki Masi. Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi.

Ia ka met jong ki Sier Kdait la sop ña ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba khaiñ bad ba lam byrsaw ka rong. Nalor ka met jong ki ha ka jaka ba don u budlum, ha ki matkhohsiew, ha ki sharang kjat bad katto katne ka bynta jong ka lbong jong ki, la sop ña ki da u shñiuh uba ñong ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba nalor jong ka tdong jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba ñong ka rong. Katba ña ka bynta ba napoh u tdong pat, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Sier Kdait shynrang kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier, ki don bad u treng uba mih ha u ryngdang jong ki. Ki nongsiat mrad jong ngi, ki ju thang ña u treng haba ki ñoh ban siat ñap ña u Sier, namarba don ki Sier kiba mih khait, ha ka jaka ba don u treng jong ki, bad ka long ruh kaba eh bad ba shitom bha ban pynduh pyndam ña u khait ba la bit na u Sier ha ka sniehdoh jong u brieve. Hynrei, ki Sier Kdait kynthei kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier kynthei, kim ju mih treng.

Ki Sier Kdait shynrang kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier shynrang, ki don bad ki reng kiba mih halor ka khlieh jong ki. Ki reng jong ki ki long kiba heh, ba ñar, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaifñ, ba paitpñat bad ba itynnad bha. Ki reng jong ki, ki ju paitpñat lai pñat shiliang ne hynriew pñat ha baroh



ar liang jong ka reng jong ki. Īa ki reng, ki pyndonkam Īa kiban Īada Īalade, ban Īa aireng ne Īatur bad ban Īatynjuh bor para Sier shynrang.

Ki Sier Kdait, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier, ha ka por Lyiur ki ju tlor ne hap bun u shñiuh jong ki. Hynrei, ha kane ka por, ki long pat kiba kham sngaid, ba dap doh bad ka rong jong ka met jong ki ka long kaba saw briang.

Ki Sier Kdait ruh ki long kiba pynjot bad pynjutor bha Īa ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew. Ha ka por miet ki ju leit ban bam ha ki jaka rep jaka riang jong ki briew. Mar Īa kynjat shai, ki Īa phet noh shapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Ki im da kaba bam Īa u phlang, ki sder, ki sla dieng sla siej, ki shylluut jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad Īa ki sohkhlaw ba bun jaid.

Ki Sier Kdait ki Īapoikha kumba Īapoikha ki Masi. Ka por shongkha jong ki ka dei ka por tlang. Ha ka aōm shongkha shongman jong ki, man ka por ka don ka jingĪatur, ka jingĪa aireng bad ka jingĪaleh markynti hapdeng ki Sier shynrang bad kiba jop ki Īoh ban Īapoikha. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por lyiur. Ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Kham Īiar ban don kiba kha synrop, ar tylli ki khun shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shi snem tam.

Ki Sier Kdait kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier, kim ju Īalam Īa ki khun rit jong ki haba ki leit wad jingham. Ki khun rit jong ki ki thiah khop khop lyngai ha trai jong ki phlang kiba khah bad ba jrong, khnang ba ki mrad ba lah ban pynĪap Īa ki kin nym Īohi Īa ki. Ki kmie jong ki ynda la suh ki jymbuiñ jong ki namar ba ki la dap dud, ki la sngewthuh ba ki khun jong ki ki la thngan bad ki sa leit ban ai buiñ Īa la ki khun. Ha ka por ba ki leit ai buiñ, ynda poi shajan ka jaka ba ki khun jong ki ki thiah ki dem, ki ju pah “kiak – kiak – kiak”, khnang ba ki khun jong ki kin Īohsngew bad wan sha ki bad ki sa ai ba ki khun jong ki kin buiñ haduh ba kin da kdang. Ynda ki khun jong ki ki la dap 8 bnai bad ki la khlaiñ bha, ki sa Īalam Īa ki kat shaba ki leit. Ka jingkitkhlieh na ka bynta ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynneh pynsan Īa ki khun ka hap ha ki Sier kmie, namarba, ki Sier shynrang kiba la san pura, ki Īa im ryngkat bad ki Sier kynthei tang ha ka samoi shongkha shongman, mar Īa kut ka aōm shongkha, ki krad noh ban im bad Īaid jar la ka lynti.

Ki Sier Kdait kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Sier, ki long kiba im hapoh ka kynhun. Ka kynhun ka lah ban don hapoh 4 bad 6 tylli, ka kynhun kaba kham heh ka ju don hapdeng 8 bad 12 tylli. Ka kynhun ka kynthup Īa ka Meirad jong ki, kaba long kaba heh tam, kaba tymmen tam, kaba stad tam bad ka nongĪalam jong ka kynhun, ki khun kynthei jong ka, ki khun ksiew shynrang bad kynthei kiba dang buiñ, ki khun ksiew kynthei bad shynrang kiba la iehnoh ban buiñ, hynrei ki bym pat lah ban im marwei.

Īa ki Sier Kdait la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka jong ka Jylla Meghalaya. La lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka Ri India, bad sha kiwei pat ki ri. Hynrei, kumba long mynta hapoh Meghalaya, ki la duna bha, bad i kumba kin jah rngai noh na kane ka pyrthei. Namarkata, donkam kham kyrkieh ba kan don noh ka jingĪatrei lang jong ki paidbah bad ki nongtrei ka *Forest Department*, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai Īa ki. Kan jin da la kham bha shibun ba lada ka Sorkar kan buh noh kloī lan, sa kawei ka tnad treikam hapoh ka *Forest Department*, Īa kaban tip kum ka *Breeding In Captivity For All Endanger Animals and Birds of the State* khnang ban dup lah ban pynkha roi pat Īa baroh ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh, kiba la don mynta ha tmier ka jingduh jaid.

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### **Ki Jing myntoi ba ngi Ioh na ki Sier:**

Ki nongsiat mrad ki Ioh Ia ka doh Sier ban bam bad ban die ruh Ia ka.

Na ki reng jong ki Sier, ki briew jong ngi, ha ka por ba mynshwa, ki ju shna Ia ki nar thaiñ, kiba long kum ki shyieng, kiba itynnad bad ki long ruh kiba bha haduh katta katta.

Ia ki reng jong ki Sier la ju Iohi ba don bun ki briew kiba sah Ia ki reng ha ki Iing ki sem jong ki khnang ban pynitynnad Ia la ka Iing ka sem.

Ia ka snieh jong ki Sier, sha ki thaiñ nongkyndong, don ki briew ba pyndonkam Ia kiban siang ha khyndew, kumba siang shylliah, ba kin dup Ioh ban shongkai. Teng teng, la shna ruh Ia ki ksing bad ki bom (ki bom ki dei ki jaid ksing ba la khot ha ka ktien Jaintia) da ki snieh jong ki Sier.

Shaphang u Sier Lapalang, uba dei u Sier Kynrem reng pat, la don ki jingthoh poitri bad ki khanatang, kiba pynlung mynsiem bad ba pynpangnud. Kum ka Poitri “U Sier Lapalang”, ba la thoh da u Bah Oscar M. Wahlang bad u Bah Primrose (Baroh arngut kiba la bam kwai ha dwar U Blei) bad kiwei de.

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***Ki Sier hapoh ka khlaw tyngkai.***

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## Lynnong 6

### KI BTHONG

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Pthong Ha ka ktien Garo la khot ia ki, ki Balgitchak, ha ka ktien Biare ki Sakhei bad ha ka ktien Phareng pat ki khot ia ki, ki *Hog deer*

Ki Bthong ki dei ki jaid mrad ba heh kat ki Ması lud Hynrei, ki Bthong shynrang ki kham heh khyndiat ia ki kynthei Haba ki la san pura bha ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong kumba 3 phut tam Haba ki ieng, naduh ka slajat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong 2 phut tam Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba don reng shynrang bad kynthei Ki reng jong ki ki long kiba itynnad bha bad kiba pait pnat kum ki reng Sier Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kaba heh bad ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba heh Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh kum ki khmat Ması Ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kaba lam nep syriem kum ka shyntur Sier Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh bad khlaifi Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah, bad ba lah ban iaid sted bad rysied artad haba don ki mrad khlaw kum u Khla ne ki Suri kiba beh ban pyniap ia ki Ki don ruh ki khnap kiba long kum ki khnap jong ki Sier, hynrei, ki khnap jong ki, ki kham rit ban ia ki jong ki Sier U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot bad ba lyngknfap kum u tdong Sier

Ia ka met jong ki Bthong la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba khlaifi, ba lyngkot bad ba long lam byrsaw iong bad bthuh ka rong Ia ki kjat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba long kum ka rong Skei Ia ka bynta ba nalog jong u tdong, la sop da u shñiuh ba iong ka rong bad ia ka bynta ba napoh pat la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrlieh ka rong

Ki Bthong ki sngewtynnad ban don ha ki jaka kiba kham madan, kiba long ki jaka phlang bad ba duna ki dieng Ki bam ia u phlang, ki sder, ki sla synsar, ki jangew-jathang, u khah-u ngor, ki sla dieng, ki shylluid jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid

Ki Bthong ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Ması Ha ka por ba ki iapoikha, barabor, ka don ka jingiat, jingia aireng bad ialeh markynti hapteng ki Bthong shynrang, bad ki nongjop ki ioh ban iapoikha Ki ju kha khun iwei shisien Haba ki khun jong ki ki dang rit, kim ju ialam ia ki ha ka por ba ki leit bam phlang, hynrei, ynda ki khun ki la khlaifi bha, te ki sa ialam ia ki kat shaba ki leit Ki ri khun hapteng shisnem bad shisnem tam

Ka doh Bthong ka long kaba bang tam napteng baroh ki jaid mrad khlaw Namarkata, ki nongsiat mrad ki ju siat bha ia ki Kumta, mynta ki la don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid, ki dang sah sylai ha ki katto katne ki jaka ba don hapoh ka Jylla Meghalaya

U Bah New Ross Laloo u la iathuh ba ha ka snem 1964, ki la leit siat mrad shı *Jeep* bad tan ruh ia ka *trailer* sha thaiñ Gorompani Ha kajuha ka janmiet ba ki poi, ki la ioh ban siat haduh 8 tylli ki Bthong tang ha kawei ka madan phlang kaba heh bad ba iar bha Ha ka step kaba bud, hadien ba ki la ai ka bhah ne bynta ia ki briew ba la ia leit ryngkat bad ki, kiba na ka shnong looksi, ia kaba sah baroh ki thep ha ka trailer bad kit ia ka sha Jowai U la iathuh ba ki la leit ai doh sha ki iing jong ki kur ki jaid bad sha ki lok ki jor jong ki Kumta ngi lah ban sngewthuh ba ki Bthong ha ka por kaba mynshwa ki long kiba roi bha, hynrei, namarba jur than ka jingsiat ia ki, kumta mynta ki la jan duh jaid

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Ki Bthong ki long ki mrad kiba ïa-ïaid kynhun. La ju ïohi ba ki ïabam phlang lang hapdeng 8 tylli bad 10 tylli ha kajuha madan phlang. Hynrei, teng teng la ïohi ba ki ïa-ïaid tang ar tylli ruh.

U Bah Thom Suchiang uba ju long u nonghikai ha ka *Jowai Government Higher Secondary and Multi Purpose School*, uba na ka shnong Mookaïaw, u la ïathuh ba haba ki leit beh mrad bad haba ki ïoh ban beh ïa u Bthong shynrang, te ki kham kloï bha ban ïoh ïa u namar, hadien ba ki la beh thong ïa u Bthong katto katne por, u Bthong u sdang ban thait bad u tiar jinglong shynrang jong u, u mih shabar, bad haba u mareh napdeng ki phlang ba jrong, kita ki phlang ki ot ïa u tiar jong u bad jur ka jingmih snam bad kumta u tlot bor noh kham kloï, bad tang hadien katto katne ki la ïoh ban pynïap ïa u. Hynrei, haba beh ïa ka Bthong kynthei pat, ka kham shim por bha ban ïoh ïa ka namar, ka long kaba khlaïñ bha ban mareh sted bad kam ju thait ne tlot kloï.

Ki Bthong ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ki bym ju pynjot ïa ka rep ka riang jong ki briew. La lap ba ki Bthong ki don hapoh ka Jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Bthong:

Ki briew ki bam bha ïa ka doh Bthong namar, ka long ka doh kaba bang bha.

Ïa ka reng jong ki Bthong, ki briew ki ju wah ne sah pynitynnad ïa ki ha ki ïing ki sem jong ki. Na ki reng Bthong ki briew ki shna ïa ki nar thañ kiba bha, kiba long kum ki shyieng. Ki shna ruh ïa ki jingbat tari na ki reng jong ki.

Ïa ka snieh jong ki Bthong, ki briew sha nongkyndong, ki ju pyndonkam ban siang ïa ka ha madan, ba kan long ka jaka shongkai. Don ruh katto katne kiba shna Ksing na ka snieh jong ki.

Namarba ki don mynta ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid, bad namar ba ka doh jong ki ka long kaba bang bha, kumta ka Sorkar lyngba ka *Forest Department* ka la dei ban leh ei ei, kloï lan katba lah khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ïa ki. Bad lada lah ban pynkha roi bad ri ïa ki, kan wallam ïa ka jingmyntoi kaba khraw ïa ki nongri. Kin kylla riewspah hadien katto katne snem namarba, ki briew kin ïa theid bha ïa ka doh Bthong. Kan ïarap ban pynduna ïa ka jingwallam ïa ki Masi nabar jylla. Hynrei, lada ym lah pat ban ai jingïada kloï bad ïaleh ban pynkha roi pat ïa ki, ha ki jaka ba ka Sorkar ka dei ban buh kyrpang, te ym slem shuh ki Bthong kin sa jah mgai na ka sla jong kane ka pyrthei bad hangta kan long ka jingduh kaba khraw namar, yn ym ïoh doh mrad shuh kaban kham bang ban ïa ka doh Bthong.

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Ki Hati



U Mynthpa



U Sier shybraog



Ka Sier kynthai



U Bthong



Skei Ptet



Skei Rang

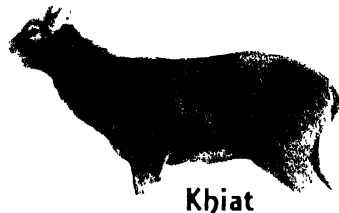


Skei Phlang



Skei Rang (ba dang rit)

Blang Khlaw



Khiat



Ma' Rong  
(Banteng)



Skei Lieb

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### KI MA' RONG

Ki dei ki jaid Masi Khlaw, ĩa kiba la lap ba ki don ha Garo Hills. Katba ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills, kine ki jaid mrad kim don. Ka ktien Ma' Rong ka dei ka ktien Garo, kaba mut ka Masi Khlaw. Ha ka ktien phareng la tip ĩa ki kum kĭ *Banteng*. Ki Ma' Rong ki long ki mrad kiba kham rit ĩa ki Mynthna. Hynrei ki kĭat jong ki pat, ki kham jrong khyndiat ban ĩa ki kĭat Mynthna.

Ki Ma' Rong haba ki la san pura bha, haba kĭ ĩeng naduh ka sla kĭat ba sha khmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong 5 phut 6 inshi. Hynrei, hateng hateng don kiba kham jrong ban ĩa kaba ju long. Ki long ruh kiba met bha bad ka dur ka dar jong ki ka ĩa-syriem bha bad ka dur jong ki Masi. Ki don kawei ka khlieh kaba heh kat ka khlieh Masi. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor bad ar tylli ki khmat kiba long kum ki jong ki Masi. Ki don ruh ar tylli ki reng halor ka khlieh jong ki kiba ĩa sariem kum ki reng Masi. U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba jrong bad ha kliar u tdong jong ki don u shñiuh ba symphum ba long kum u tdong Masi hi. ĩa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long kum ka rong ka snep soh-ot. Ki don ruh kiba long lam byrlicheh stem ka rong. Baroh saw tylli ki kĭat jong ki naduh matkhohsiew sharum haduh ban da poi ha ka khnap kĭat jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong syriem kumba long ki kĭat Mynthna. Don ruh ka jingthoh rong lieh narud shyntur jong ki bad ha ki bynta ka trai u tdong jong ki.

Ka jingpah jong ki Ma' Rong ruh ka long kumba pah kĭ Masi. Ki ĩapoikha ruh kumba ĩapoikha ki Masi hi. Kĭ ju kha khun bun sien iwei shisien kha. Hynrei, teng khat lano re ki ju kha khun synrap, hapteng u bnai *April* bad *May*. Kĭ ri khun ruh hapteng shisnem ne tam khyndiat.

Ki Ma' Rong kĭ long ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por step bad ha ka por janmiet, syriem kumba long ki Mynthna. Ha ka por ba shĭt kyrang ka sngi, ki shongthait bad dem ha trai jong kĭ dieng ba jrong, khnang ban kah syrngiew ĩa kĭ.

ĩa kĭ Ma' Rong la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya tang ha ri lum Garo. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha Myanmar (Burma), Thailand, Malaysia, Borneo bad Java.

Ka jingmyntoi ba ngĭ ĩoh na ki Ma' Rong, ka long ba ngĭ ĩoh ban bam ĩa ka doh jong ki.

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## Lynnong 8

### KI KHIAT

Ki dei ki mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Rynjang, ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki Sarja. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki ki Matrong. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Goat Antelopes* lane ki *Serows*.

Ki Khiat ki long ki mrad kiba don ka jingĭasyriem bad ki Blang, bad dei namar ba ki don ka jingĭasyriem bad ki Blang, ba la khot ruh ĩa ki ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Goat Antelopes* ne ki Blang – Khiat. Hynrei kim long kiba wan dur wan dar kum ki Blang, bad ki long ruh kiba kham heh bad ba kham khia ban ĩa ki Blang.

Ĩa ka met jong ki Khiat la sop da u shĭiuh uba khaiĭ, ba lyngkot bad ba lam byrthuh saw ka rong. Ha ki shynrang halor u ryngdang jong ki mih ruh bad u treng, katba ki kynthei pat kim don treng. Hajan ka shyntur, napoh ryngdang, ka shadem bad ka kpoh, ĩa kine ki bynta la sop da u shĭiuh ba lam byrlich bthuh ka rong. Ha ki kĭat naduh khohsiew sharum haduh ban da poi ha ki khnap jong ki, la sop sa u shĭiuh uba long lam byrlich bthuh ka rong. Ka bynta ba shaneng khohsiew jong ki kĭat jong ki, ki tyrpeng bad ĩa ki lbong jong ki la sop da u shĭiuh uba lam saw brut ka rong. Hajan ka shyntur ruh don khyndiat ka bynta, ĩa kaba la sop da u shĭiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong.

Halor ka khlieh jong ki Khiat shynrang bad ki kynthei, mih ar tylli ki reng, kiba lam kdor shadien bad kiba jrong hapteng 8 inshi tam bad 10 inshi. Ki reng ki long kiba pyllun na trai bad sha kliar ki long pyllun rit bad ki nep bha. Kumba shiteng tam na ka jingjrong jong ki reng jong ki, na ka bynta ba sha trai ki long kiba don jingat bad jingthem, katba ka bynta ba shalor bad ka kliar jong ki reng pat, ki long kiba jlih bha. Ki reng ki long ruh ki tiar ĩada jong ki. Ki pyndonkam ruh ĩa ki ha kaban ĩatynjuh bor hapteng para Khiat hi. Ki Kobiraj ki ju pyndonkam ĩa ki reng Khiat ha kaban pynkjit tyndong, kata hadien ba ki la ot ne tar khyndiat ha ka sniehdoh jong u breiw, bad ki sa buh ĩa ki reng Khiat ban ring ĩa ka snam ba sniew na ka met jong u breiw, khamtam na kito kiba la kheiĭ shyieng, te ka met ba don ha ka bynta ba kheiĭ bad haman ka bynta ba kheiĭ ka ju at bad sieb bha, bad ka snam ba sniew ruh ka ju lang ha kine ki bynta.

Ki Khiat, haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapteng 4 phut tam bad 5 phut. Haba ki ĩeng naduh ka sla kĭat ba shakmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapteng 2 phut shiteng bad 3 phut tam. Ki khia hapteng 80 kilo bad 90 kilo tam. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ĩasyriem bad ka khlieh Blang hynrei, ka kham heh ban ĩa ka khlieh Blang. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam nep, kiba jrong, ba heh bad ba ĩeng beit. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kum ka shyntur Blang, bad ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiĭ bad ba nep bha. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kum ki khmat Blang hi. Ki khnap ba don ha ki kĭat jong ki ruh, ki ĩasyriem ĩa ki khnap Blang, tangba ki khnap jong ki, ki kham heh khyndiat ĩa ki khnap Blang.

Ka jingheh jingsan hapteng ki Khiat shynrang bad kynthei kam da ĩapher eh. Ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por ba dang step phyrngap bad ha ka por janmiet. Ki bam ĩa u phlang, ki nob, ki soh dieng, ĩa ki shylluid jong ki jingthung kiba mih hi ha ka mariang bad ĩa ki sla jong ki dieng. Ha ka por ba ki bam ĩa ki sla jong ki dieng, ki ju ĩeng ar kĭat da ki kĭat ba shadien jong ki, katba ĩa ki kĭat ba don shakmat jong ki pat, ki kyrshan ĩa ki halor ka met jong u dieng ba dang bam ĩa ki sla jong u.



Ha ka por sngi, ki Khiat ki ju don hapoh ki jaka ba don ki dieng kiba khah bha, ha ki jaka kiba riat bad sharing bha. Ki ju myllien ruh ban bam phlang ha ki jaka ba riat ba ram bad ba thiep bha. Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba tbit bha ban kiew ĩa ki riat ki ram bad ĩa ki rai-eh rai-dam, hynrei, ki long ruh kiba sted ban ĩaid bad ban mareh ha ki jaka kiba madan ruh. Ki shong ki sah hapoh ki krem maw ba don ha ki rai-eh rai-dam.

U Bah Bniāh Lathong u la ĩathuh ba kĭ Khiat, kĭ tang shu thut ne sngew ba kĭ don ha ka jingma, kĭ ju pyrsad mynsiem jur bad mareh sted artad katba kĭ lah. U la ĩathuh ruh ba shisien ba kĭ Khiat kĭ la ĩoh ban her ĩap, te ym donkam shuh ban leit bud ĩa kĭ namar, ha kata hĭ ka sngi te lada leh katba leh ruh yn ym lap bad yn ym ĩoh lad shuh ban siat ĩa kĭ. Hynrei, ha ka jingbeh kpong bad ha ka jingbeh mrad ba da ka shnong, namar ba don hun ngut kĭ nongbeh mrad lem bad ka jingĩarap jong kĭ ‘Sew beh’, te lah ban dang lap dien bad ĩoh ruh ĩa kĭ Khiat kiba la ĩohlad ban her ĩap, ha kajuh ka sngi.

Kĭ Khiat kĭ ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha kĭ Blang. Kĭ Khiat kiba don ha Meghalaya kĭ ju ĩa poikha hapteng u Nailar bad u Nailur. Ka por pun khun jong kĭ ka long hapteng 7 bnai tam bad 8 bnai. Kĭ ju kha khun hapteng u Kyllalyngkot bad u Lber. Barabor kĭ ju kha tang iwei i khun, hynrei, teng khat ju don kaba kha ar tylli kĭ khun ruh. Kĭ ju ri khun hapteng 10 bnai tam bad shi snem tam.

Kĭ Khiat kĭ long kĭ mrad kiba ju ĩaid ha ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba hapteng 3 tylli bad 5 tylli Hynrei, kat kumba ĩathuh kĭ nongsiat mrad la ju ĩohi ruh ba bunsien kĭ ju ĩaid marwei.

U Bah Kynia Beh u la ĩathuh ha u thylliej jong kĭ Khiat, u long uba don ka bor dawai kaba khlaĭñ bha ban pynkoit ĩa ka jingkheĭñ bad ĩa ka jinglaitdoh ne jinglait thied jong kĭ Khiat. U la ĩathuh, namar ba kĭ shong kĭ sah ha kĭ rai-eh rai-dam, kumta, kĭ Khiat kĭ ju ur ju hap bad kĭ lah ban kheĭñ ne lait doh. Hynrei, ynda kĭ jlah da u thylliej jong kĭ la ha ka jaka ba kheĭñ ne ba lait doh, kĭ sa koit pat kham kloĭ.

Kumba 50 snem mynshuwa, kĭ Khiat kĭ don ha kylleng kĭ jaka ba hap hapoh u pud u sam jong ka Jylla Meghalaya. Hynrei, kumba long mynta te kĭ la kham ĩiar bad duna bha. La lap ba kĭ dang don sha thaiñ Mawsynram, Weiloĭ, ha kĭ katto katne kĭ bynta jong kĭ phud jong ka wah Umngi, shathaiñ Shella, sha thaiñ Khadkasla, sha thaiñ Saipung, sha thaiñ Labang – Nongphyllut, sha thaiñ Lakadong, thaiñ Wataw (Bataw), hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, hapoh *Nongkhylliem Reserved Forest*, hapoh *Umsaw Reserved Forest* bad sha kiwei kiwei de kĭ jaka. La lap ruh ba kĭ Khiat kĭ don sha kiwei pat kĭ Jylla jong ka Ri India bad sha kiwei de kĭ ri.

### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ĩoh na kĭ Khiat:**

Kat kum ka jingngeit jong kito kĭ briew kĭba tĭp bha shaphang kĭ Khiat, kĭ ĩathuh ba lada sah ĩa ka reng jong kĭ Khiat halor ka jingkhāng bah ban rung sha ĩing, kan ĩada ĩa kiba sah ha kata ka ĩing na kĭ ksuid kĭ khrei ba bun jaid bad na ka jingpang ĩiang-thylliew.

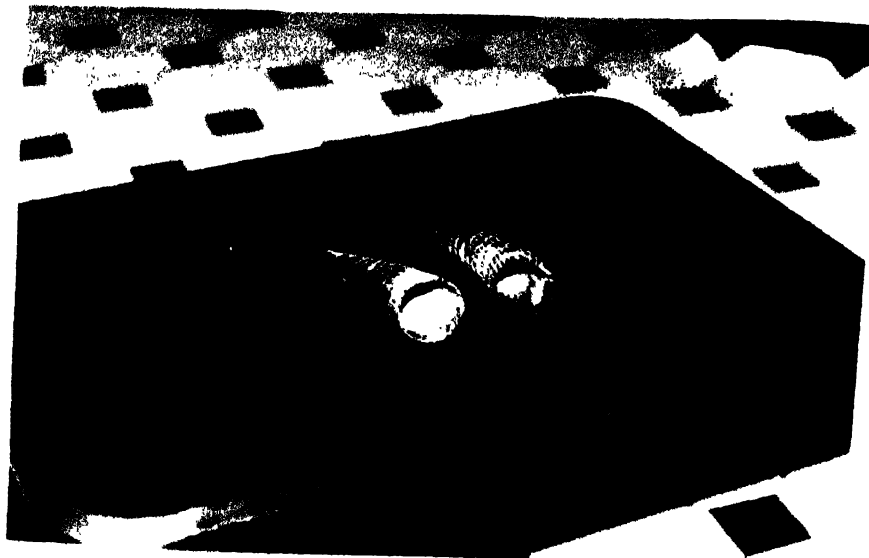
ĩa ka reng jong kĭ Khiat, kĭ Kobiraij kĭ ju pyndomkam ĩa kĭ ha kaban pynkjĭt tyndong, khnang ba kan kjit ĩa ka snam ba sniew na ka met jong u briew.

ĩa kĭ reng jong kĭ Khiat don kĭ briew ba buh pynitynnad ĩa kĭ ha kĭ ĩing kĭ sem jong kĭ da kaba kĭ sah ĩa kĭ reng halor kĭ lyntang ne kĭ dieng sawdong ba don hapoh ka kamra pdeng jong kĭ.

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Ya ki Khiat lah ruh ban ri ya ki kumba ri ya ki Blang. Une u Nongthoh u la iohi ba uwei u briew ha shnong Saipung u la ri ya uwei u khun Khiat, bad mynta u la san bad u juh ban shong ban sah hapoh ka phyllaw iing jong uta u trai Khiat. Uta u trai Khiat u la iathuh ruh ba u Khiat ubam ya ka ja ba ki ai ya u. Namarkata, ki briew jong ngi lem bad ki jingiarap jong ka *Forest Department*, ki la dei ban sdang noh ban ri ya ki Khiat ruh, bad kan long ka jingmyntoi kaba khraw, ynda ki la lah ban ri ya ki kumba ri ya ki Masi ki Blang.

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*Ki Reng jong u Khiat*

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## Lynnong 9

### KI SKEI

#### 9.1 Ki Skei Ptet

Ki dei ki jaid Skei kiba heh tam napdeng ki jaid Skei baroh, ña kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ña ki kum ki Skai Ptet. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki ki Sarangtun. K1 Garo ki khot ña ki ki Bringipa Matchok. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Spotted Deer*.

Ki Skei Ptet haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong k1 ka jrong hapdeng 3 phut bad 4 phut. Haba ki ñeng naduh ka slajat ba shakmat haduh ka tytpeng jong ki, k1 jrong 2 phut tam. Kiba don ha Meghalaya ki kham rit ha ka jingheh ban ña kiba don sha ri Dkhar. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. K1 shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba heh bad ka kliar jong k1 shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam nep. K1 khmat jong k1, k1 long kiba heh bad phyrnai. K1 mih bñiat ruh tang na ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong k1, kumba long k1 Sier bad ki Masi. K1 long ruh k1 jaid mrad kiba ktha arsien, kumba long ki Masi bad ki Sier. U tdong jong k1 u long uba lyngkot bad u jrong tang 8 inshi.

K1 kjat jong k1 Skei Ptet ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlañ bha. Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Skei, k1 long kiba khlañ bad ba sted ban mareh. K1 lah ruh ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rynsied artad. Haba don ki mrad ba beh ña k1, kum k1 Khla, k1 Suri bad k1 Ksew khlaw, k1 sei lut ka bor kat kaba don, bad k1 her ñap her im, da kaba mareh ar kjat bad rynsied artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Ki kjat jong k1 baroh saw tylli, k1 long kiba don bad ki khnap kumba don k1 Sier, k1 Masi bad k1 Blang.

K1 Skei Ptet shynrang k1 long kiba don bad k1 reng, kiba mih halor ka khlieh jong ki. Ki reng jong ki, k1 long kiba kham rit ban ña k1 reng jong k1 Sier. K1 reng k1 patpñat ruh 3 pñat shiliang ne 6 pñat ha baroh ar liang jong ki reng jong ki. Ki reng jong ki ruh k1 hap bad tlor noh kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Skei bad ki Sier. Hynrei, ki reng ba thymmai ruh k1 long kiba kloñ ban mih.

Ña ka met jong ki Skei Ptet la sop da u shñiuh uba saw jngum bñuh bad ba don ki jingthoh ba rit ba long lieh ka rong, kaba long kum k1 dot ha baroh kawei ka met jong ki. ña ka bynta ba napoh ka ryndang jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong, bad ña ka bynta jong ka kpoh jong k1 pat, la sop da u shñiuh uba lam byrlich ka rong. ña k1 kjat jong k1 la sop da u shñiuh uba sawjngum bñuh ka rong. ña ka bynta ba nalar jong u tdong jong k1, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh ba sawjngum bñuh ka rong. Katba ña ka bynta ba napoh jong u tdong jong k1 pat, la sop ña u da u shñiuh ba byrlich ka rong. Ki long ruh k1 jaid Skei kiba itymnad bha. Ka rong jong k1 ka neh khlem kylla ha baroh ki saw añom. Hynrei, ki Skei Ptet shynrang kiba la tymmen, ka rong jong ki ka kham bñuh bad kham dum rong, tangba ki jingthoh lieh ba rit te k1 neh kumjuh.

Ki Skei Ptet ki long ki jaid mrad kiba im ha ka kynhun. Ha Meghalaya ki ju don hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli ha kawei ka kynhun. Hynrei, la ñohi ruh ba ki ña ñaid tang ar tylli ne tang kawei ruh. Katba sha ri Dkhar pat, kat kumba unc u Nongthoh u la ñohi ha kawei ka *Programme* ba la pyni shaphang ki Skei, ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, ki Skei Ptet ki don haduh 20 ne 30 tylli ha kawei ka jaka, ba ki ña bam phlang lang. Kane ka long namar sha ri Dkhar te ki dang bun bad dang jylli bha.

Ki Skei Ptet ki long kiba pynjulor ña ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew. Ki im da kaba bam ña u phlang, u khah, u ngor, ki sla sder, ki sla dieng sla siej, u jangew u jathang, ki shylluit jong ki

jingthung kiba mih hi ha ka mariang bad ya ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Ki wad jingbam ha ka por step. Ha ka por sngi ki ju thiah ne dem ha trai jong ki dieng ne ki phlang kiba jrong, kiba kah syrngiew ya ki na ka jingshit jong ka sngi. Ki sdang ban bam biang ha ka por nohphai sngi haduh shwa ban kem Yongreih. Mar ya kem Yongreih ki tit ya ki jaka hapoh ki khlaw ba kin dup sah miet.

Ki Skei Ptet ki tapoikha kumba tapoikha ki Blang. Ka por shongkha jong ki ka long kaba dap da ka jingiat, ka jingia aireng bad ka jingialeh markynti hapdeng ki Skei Ptet shynrang. Ha ka aom shongkha shongman ki shynrang ki ju pah jur bha. Kiba jop ha ka jingia aireng ki ioh ban tapoikha. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long hapdeng 7 bnai bad 7 bnai tam. Ki ju kha khun iwei shisien kha. Ki ri khun hapdeng shi snem bad shi snem tam.

Ya ki Skei Ptet la lap ba ki don tang ha ki katto katne ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya. Ki don hapoh ki khlaw ba don hapoh *Saipung Sirdarship* bad sha thaih Khatkasla. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh ba ha u snem 1980, u la iohi ya ki Skei Ptet hapdeng ka Rongara bad ka Mahadeo. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jaka hapoh Garo Hills. La lap ba ki dang jyllei bad ki tai roi ruh bun byrhai sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad ki don ruh sha kiwei de ki ri

## 9.2 Ki Skei Rang.

Ki dei ki jaid Skei kiba ar ha ka jingheh napdeng ki jaid Skei baroh, ya kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ya ki kum ki Skai Ladaw. Ki Biate ki khot ya ki, ki Sakui. Ki Garo ki khot ya ki, ki Balgitchak-Matasim lane ki Maraka. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ya ki kum ki *Muntjac* lane ki *Barking deer*.

Ki Skei Rang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 3 phut 4 inshi. Haba ki yeng naduh ka slajat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapdeng shi phut shiteng bad 2 phut tam. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki Shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh bad ka kliar jong ki skhor jong ki, ki long kiba lam nep. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki long kiba heh bad phymai. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot, bad u jrong 5 mshu tam. Ki mih bniat ruh tang na ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong ki, kumba long ki Sier bad ki Masi. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba ktha ar sien, kumba long ki Masi bad ki Sier.

Ki kjat jong ki Skei Rang ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlain bha. Kumta ki lah ban mareh sted, ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rypsied artad. Haba don ki mrad kiba beh ya ki, kum ki Khla, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw, ki ju pynmih ka jingpah ne wiar syriem kumba wiar u Ksew, bad ki sei lut la ka bor katba don, ban her iap her im da kaba mareh ar kjat bad rypsied artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba don bad ki khnap kumba long ki Sier, ki Masi bad ki Blang.

Ki Skei Rang shynrang ki long kiba don ki reng, kiba mih halor ka khlieh jong ki. Ki reng jong ki, ki iapher bha na ki reng jong ki Skei Ptet, namar ya ka bynta ba bun jong ki reng jong ki la sop ya ki da ka kynja snieh na baroh ar liang jong ki reng. Halor kane ka kynja snieh ba mih bad u shniuh uba khah, ba khaih bad ba byriong ka rong. Ki reng jong ki, ki paitpnat ruh tang ar tylli shiliang ne saw tylli ha baroh ar liang jong ka reng. Ki jingpaitpnat ba shadien jong ki reng ki long kiba jrong, ba lam kdor pyrkhung bad ba nep bha. Ki jingpaitpnat kiba sha khmat pat, ki long kiba lyngkot bad ki shu paw tang tiak. Ya ki reng ki pyndonkam ban iada ya lade, ban ya aireng, ban iatur bad ban iatynjuh bor para Skei shynrang.

Ki Skei Rang shynrang ki mih ruh bad ki bniat ksew na ka tyngam ba nalog jong ki. Kine ki bniat ki paw shabar narud ka shyntur jong ki, bad ki jrong shi inshi tam. Ki pyndonkam ya kine ki bniat ha kaban iada iälade.

Ya ka met jong ki Skei Rang la sop ya ka da u shñiuh uba phyrnai, ba lyngkot bad ba saw briang ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba napoh ryndang bad napoh ka met jong ki la sop ya ki da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Ya ka khmat jong ki naduh trai ki reng haduh hajan ka shyntur jong ki, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh ba byrlong ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba nalog ki kjat ba shakhmat jong ki, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh ba byrlong ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba napoh ki kjat khmat jong ki, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh ba saw bthuh ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba nalog jong ki kjat dien jong ki, na mat khohsiew sharum la sop ya ka da u shñiuh ba byrlong ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba nalog khohsiew shaneng bad ya ki bynta ba nalog ki lbong jong ki la sop ya ki da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Ya ka bynta ba nalog u tdong jong ki, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh uba saw byrlong ka rong. Katba ya ka bynta ba napoh u tdong jong ki pat, la sop ya ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Hynrei, ha ka por tlang hadien ba ki la hap shñiuh, ka rong jong ki ka lam byrlong bthuh.

Ki Skei Rang ki long ki jaid Skei kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por janmiet bad ha ka por step shwa ban shai ka sngi. Hynrei, ha ki sngi ba dum sngi la ju iohi ba ki bam jingbam wat ha ka por sngi ruh. Ki im da kaba bam ya u phlang, u khah u ngor, u jangew u jathang, ki sla sder, ki sla jong ki dieng synsar, ki sla dieng sla siej, ki shylluit jong ki jingthung kiba mih hi ha ka mariang, bad ya ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bun sker. Ki ju leit dii um man ka sngi da kaba ieng harud wah. Ha ki jaka ba don ki um mluh, ki leit dii um mluh ruh man ka sngi

Ki Skei Rang ki ju pah, “Khuk - khuk - khuk”, ha ka por ba ki kyndit, haba wan mih ki mrad ba mut ban dait ban pyniap ya ki, kum ki Khla, Ki Krung, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw, bad ki her iap her im katba don la ka bor, khnang ba kin dup lait im.

Ki Skei Rang ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Blang, U Bah Bniat Lathong u la iathuh, ba ha ka aïom shongkha shongman jong ki Skei, ki Skei Rang shynrang ki ju beh pakor ya ki Skei kynthei, kata ka long ba ki Skei Rang shynrang ki ju beh thong ya ki Skei kynthei, khnang ban dup ioh ban iapoikha. Ha ka por ba ki Skei shynrang ki beh pakor ya ki Skei kynthei, ki ju pah, “It - it, it - it”. (Ha ka ktien Jaintia ya ka jingbeh pakor ki khot ya ka ka Behma ne Behkhal). Ha ka samoi shongkha shongman ki Skei shynrang ki ju iatur ya aireng bad ialeh markynti para Skei shynrang bad kiba jop ki ioh ban iapoikha. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long 6 bnei. Ki ju kha khun iwei shisien kha. Hynrei teng khat ki don kiba kha synrop ar tylli shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shi snem tam.

Ha ka por ba jur slap, ki Skei Rang bad kiwei kiwei ki jaid Skei, ki ju rieh slap hapoh ki synrang maw, hapoh ki krem bad ha trai jong ki diengbah.

Ki Skei Rang ki dei ki jaid Skei kiba bun bad ba jyllei tam na baroh ki jaid Skei, ya kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Hynrei, lada ym don ka jingialeh ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ya ki, te yn slem katno eh ba kin dang don ha kane ka jylla. Namarba ki briew ha kylleng ki jaka, hapoh Meghalaya ki siat bad pyniap pathar ya ki, la jan baroh shi snem lynter. Ki don ki nongsiat mrad ki bym sngewsang ne bym don ka jingiatiplem, kiba siat wat ya ki ‘Kei Lympied ne ki Skei ba dang pun khun. Don kiba siat wat ya ki Skei ba dang ai buin khun bad ba dang rit khun ruh. Ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* ki dei ban peit bniat bha ya kiba kum kine ki jingleh be-aif, bad haba lap ya kum kine ki riew runar dei ban pynshitom jur ya ki katkum ka aif. La lap ruh ba ki Skei Rang ki don sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 9.3 Ki Skei Lieh.

Ki dei ki jaid Skei kiba ñiar tam bad ba khyndiat tam napdeng ki jaid Skei baroh, ña kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ña ki kum ki Skai Walieh. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki, ki Sakhi Ngoi. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Balgitchak Gipok. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat. la tip ña ki kum ki *White deer*.

Ki Skei Lieh ki kham rit ban ña ki Skei Rang. Haba kɪ ñeng naduh ka slakjat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapdeng shi pruh tam bad 2 phut duna. Ki kynthei kɪ kham rit khyndiat ban ña ki shynrang. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong kɪ, kɪ heh kat kɪ shkor Blang, bad ka klier jong ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam nep. Ki Khmat jong ki, kɪ heh kat kɪ khmat Blang. Ki mih bniat ruh tang na ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong kɪ, kumba long kɪ Masi bad ki Skei. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot, bad u jrong tang 5 mshi tam khyndiat, u long ruh uba lyngkn̄ap kumba long u tdong jong kiwei pat ki jaid Skei.

Ki Kjat jong ki Skei Lieh ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlañ bha. Kumta kɪ long ruh kiba khlañ bha ban mareh sted, ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rɛnsied artad. U Bah Bniat Lathong u ñathuh ba kɪ Skei ki long ki jaid mrad, ki hym don ksang, kumta kɪ khlañ bad sted bha ban mareh. Haba don kɪ mrad kiba beh ña ki, kum ki Khla, ki Krung, ki Suri bad ki Ksew khlaw, kɪ sei lut ña ka bor katha don bad ki her ñap her im, da kaba mareh ar kjat bad rɛnsied artad, khnang ba kin dup lait im. Kɪ kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba don bad ki khnap kumba long ki Sier, kɪ Masi bad kɪ Blang.

Ki Skei Lieh shynrang ki long kiba don bad ki reng halor ka khlieh jong ki. Kɪ reng jong kɪ, kɪ ñasyriem kum ki reng jong ki Skei Rang, tang ba ki long kiba kham rit khyndiat. Ki pyndonkam ña ki reng ban ñada ñalade, ban ña aireng, ban ñatur bad ban ña tynjuh bor para Skei shynrang.

Ña ka met jong ki Skei Lieh bad ña ki kjat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba byrlich ka rong. ña u tdong jong ki ruh la sop napoh bad nalog u tdong, da u shñiuh ba byrlich ka rong.

Ki Skei Lieh kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Skei, ki im da kaba bam ña u phlang, u ngor, kɪ sla dieng syngsar, kɪ sla jong ki sder, kɪ sla dieng sla siej, kɪ shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih hi ha ka mariang bad ña ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bun sker. Ki dih um ruh man ka sngi na ki wah, ha kɪ khlaw ba don ki um mluh, ki leit dih um mluh ruh man ka sngi.

Ki Skei Lieh ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Blang. Ha ka samoi shongkha shongman, ki Skei Lieh ki ju beh pakor ña ki Skei kynthei. Ha ka aïom shongkha shongman, ki Skei Lieh shynrang ki ju ñatur, ña aireng bad ñaleh markynti para shynrang bad kiba jop ki ñoh ban ñapoikha.

U Bah Bor Papeng, uba na ka shnong Khonshnong, u la ñathuh ba u la ñohi ña ki Skei Lieh hapoh khlaw Myntngai (Khloo Myntngai) kaba don hajan ka wah Mynsan (kaba don hajan ka shnong Khonshnong). U la ñathuh ruh ba ki dei ruh ki jaid Skei kiba ñiar tam ban lap ne shem ña ki. Ki long ruh ki jaid Skei kiba sian bad ba shalak bha, kumta, kham ñiar ba ki briew kin ñoh ban siat ña ki. U la ñathuh ba ha ka por ba u la ñohi nyngkong ña kawei ka Skei Lieh, u la mut ba dei ka Blang. Hynrei, ynda u la peit bha u sa tip ba dei ka Skei, bad ynda u la pyrshang ban siat ña ka, ka la her ñap her im bad u khlem ñoh ban siat ña kata ka Skei Lieh.

U Bah Bniiah Lathong u la ñathuh ba ki Skei Lieh kɪ don ha khlaw Sah Sdai, kaba don hajan ka shnong Moojem sha thaiñ Khatkasla. U la ñathuh ba ki long ki jaid Skei kiba ñiar bha bad ki bym da roi.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba ha Garo Hills ki briew ba shong ba sah ha nyngkyndong ki la ñohi ña ki Skei Lieh, bad ki long ruh ki jaid Skei kiba ñiar bha ban lap.

U Bah M.M. Thaïang u la ñathuh ba u Bah Rupa Thaïang uba na ka shnong Mooriap, kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut, shisien u la ñoh ban siat ña kawer ka Skei Lieh. Ynda u la rah ña ka sha la shnong, kiba bun kɪ briew ki la ong ba ka long kaba sang ba u la ñoh ban siat da ka Skei Lieh namar, ba kim ju ñohi ña ka Skei kaba Lieh. Kumta u la sheptieng, bad namar ba u dangsah ha ka niam barim, kumta u la hap ban kña khnang ban lait na kano kano kaba sniew.

U Bah Sajayma Laloo, u la ñathuh ba u paralok Lushai jong u, uba kyrteng u Hrangzuala Ralte ba na ka shnong Kolasib jong ka jylla Mizoram, u ri mynta kumba hynriew tylli ki Skei Lieh, hapoh ka Farm ri Skei jong u, kaba don ha ka shnong Kolasib. U la sdang ban ri nyngkong tang shi jur ki Skei Lieh, ña kiba u ñoh kem na khlaw ha ka por ba ki dang rit, bad mynta kɪ la sdang ban kha roi.

Ña ki Skei Lieh la lap ba ki don tang ha kɪ katto katne kɪ jaka hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don sha thaiñ Khonshnong, ha kɪ katto katne kɪ jaka hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, sha thaiñ Khatkasla, hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut, ha kɪ katto katne kɪ jaka ba don ha Garo Hills bad sha kwiw de kɪ jaka.

## 9.4 Ki Skei Sop.

Ki dei ki jaid Skei ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jamtia, kum ki Skar Tyrkhang. Ki Biате ki khot ña kɪ, ki Joi Sakhi. Ki Garo kɪ khot ña ki Maraka. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat lah ban khot ña kɪ, kɪ *Lesser deer*.

Kɪ Skei Sop haba kɪ la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong kɪ ka jrong 2 phut tam. Haba kɪ ñeng na ka slakjat ba shakhmat haduh tyrpeng jong kɪ, kɪ jrong hapdeng 2 phut duna bad 2 phut. Ki Skei Sop kynthei kɪ kham rit khyndiat ban ña kɪ shynrang. Ka khlieh jong kɪ ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong kɪ, kɪ long kiba heh bad ka kñiar jong kɪ shkor kɪ long kiba lam nep. Ki khmat jong kɪ, kɪ long kiba heh bad ba phymai. U tdong jong kɪ u long uba lyngkot bad lyngkniap, u jrong tang 5 inshi. Ki mih bñiat ruh tang na ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong kɪ, kumba long kɪ Sier bad kɪ Masi. Ki long ruh kɪ jaid mrad kiba ktha ar sien, kumba long kɪ Masi bad kɪ Sier.

Ki Kjat jong kɪ Skei Sop kɪ long kiba jrong bad ba khlañ bha. Kumta kɪ lah ban mareh sted, ban mareh ar kjat bad ban rmysied artad. Haba don kɪ mrad kiba beh ña kɪ kum kɪ Khla, kɪ Krung, kɪ Suri bad kɪ Ksew khlaw, kɪ shaniah ña ka jingim jongkɪ ha ka jingsted jong kiban mareh. Ki kjat jong kɪ baroh saw tylli, kɪ long kiba don bad kɪ khnap kumba long kɪ Sier, kɪ Masi bad kɪ Blang.

Ki Skei Sop shynrang kɪ long kiba don bad kɪ reng kiba mih halor khlieh jong kɪ. Ki reng jong kɪ, kɪ ñasyriem kum kɪ reng jong kɪ Skei Rang, tang ba kɪ long kiba kham rit ban ña kɪ reng jong kɪ Skei Rang. Ki pyndonkam ña kɪ reng ban ñada ñalade, ban ña aireng, ban ñatur bad ban ña tynjuh bor para Skei shynrang.

## KI SKEI

Īa ka met jong ki Skei Sop la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba saw briang ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh ryndang bad napoh ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ki, da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Īa ka khmat jong ki naduh trai kĭ reng haduh hajan ka shyntur jong kĭ, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrĭong ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba nador ki kĭat ba shakhmat jong ki, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrĭong ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh jong ki kĭat ba shakhmat jong ki, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrĭong ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba nador ki kĭat dien jong ki, na mat khohsiew sharum lasop ĩa ki da u shñiuh ba byrĭong ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba nador khohsiew shaneng bad ĩa ki bynta ba nador ki lbong jong kĭ la sop da u shñiuh ba saw briang ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh ki lbong jong ki, la sop ĩa ki da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba nador u tdong jong kĭ la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh uba saw briang ka rong. Katba ĩa ka bynta ba napoh u tdong pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. Hynrei, ha ka por tlang naduh u Nohprah haduh u lber, hadien ba ki la hap shñiuh, ka rong jong kĭ ka lam byrĭong bñuh.

Ki Skei Sop ki long ki jaid Skei kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por janmĭet bad ha ka por step shwa ban mĭh ka sngĭ. Mynsngĭ kĭ thĭah ne dem ha trai kĭ tyrkhang kĭba jrong ne ha trai kĭ phlang kĭba jrong bad ha trai kĭ diengbah kĭba kah tngen ĩa ki. Hynrei, ha kĭ sngĭ ba dum sngĭ la ju ĩohi ba kĭ ju wad bam wat ha ka por sngĭ ruh. Kĭ im da kaba bam ĩa u phlang, u khah, u ngor, u jangew u jathang, kĭ sla kĭ dieng synsar, kĭ sla sder sla siej, kĭ shyllut jong kĭ jungthung ba mĭh hĭ ha ka mariang bad ĩa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Kĭ ju leit dih um man ka sngĭ na ki wah. Ha kĭ khlaw ba don kĭ um mluh, kĭ leit dih um mluh ruh man ka sngĭ.

Ki Sier Sop kĭ ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Blang. Ha ka samoi shongkha shongman, kĭ Skei Sop shynrang kĭ ju beh pakor ĩa kĭ Skei kynthei. Ha ka aiom shongkha shongman kĭ Skei shynrang kĭ ju ĩatur, ĩa aireng bad ĩaleh markynti para Skei shynrang bad kĭba jop kĭ ĩoh ban ĩapoikha. Ka por pun khun jong kĭ ka long 6 bnai. Kĭ ju kha khun iwei shisien kha. Hynrei, teng khat kĭ ju don kĭba kha synrop ar tylli shisien kha. Kĭ ri khun hapdeng shi snem bad shi snem tam

Ki Skei Sop mynta ki la duna bha hapoh Meghalaya, la lap ba kĭ don ha kiba bun kĭ jaka ba don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya ha ka por ba mynshwa. Kĭ don ruh sha kiwei pat kĭ jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de kĭ ri.

## 9.5 Ki Skei Phlang.

Kĭ dei kĭ jaid Skei kiba rit tam, ĩa kiba la lap ba kĭ don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Kine kĭ long kĭ jaid Skei kiba la duna bha, bad kumta la kham ñiar ban lap ĩa ki. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ĩa kĭ kum kĭ Skai Shakuliar. Kĭ Biate kĭ khot ĩa ki, kĭ Cham Sakhi. Kĭ Garo kĭ khot ĩa kĭ, kĭ Makara Kilgong lane Matchok Bone. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa kĭ kum kĭ *Mouse deer*.

Ki Skei Phlang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut tam. Haba kĭ ĩeng naduh ka slajat ba sha khmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, kĭ jrong 10 inshi. Ka khlieh jong kĭ ka long kaba heh. Kĭ shkor jong kĭ ruh kĭ long kiba heh. Kĭ khmat jong kĭ kĭ heh kat kĭ khmat Blang. Kĭ kĭat jong kĭ, kĭ long kiba rit hynrei, kĭ long pat kiba khlaiñ. Ha baroh saw tylli kĭ kĭat jong kĭ, don kĭ khnap. Kumba long kiwei pat kĭ jaid Skei, kĭ Skei Phlang ruh kim don bñiat ha ka tyngam ba nador ka shyntur jong kĭ. Kĭ mĭh bñiat tang na ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong kĭ. Kĭ long ruh kĭ mrad ba ktha ar sien kumba long kĭ Skei bad kĭ Masi; u tdong jong kĭ u long uba lyngkot bad u jrong tang 3 inshi.



Ki Skei Phlang shynrang bad kynthei ki long ki bym ju mih reng. Hynrei, ki shynrang ki ju mih pat ar tylli ki bniat na ka tyngam ba nalog ka shyntur jong ki. Kine ki bniat ki paw shabar narud ka shyntur jong ki. Ki pyndomkam ia kine ki bniat ban iada ialade.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh ba ia ki Skei ba rit tam ki khot ia ki, ki Makara Kilgong (Ki Skei Phlang) ki long ki jaid Skei kiba fiar bha ban lap, bad ia iohi ia ki tang da ki katto katne ngut ki nongbeh mrad bad da ki briew ba donbok. Kine ki jaid Skei ki ju leit sha ki jaka rep *jhum* ne rep shyrti bad sha ki jaka thung kynphad. U Bah P.K. Srivastara, I.A.S., uba ju long u D.C. ka *East Garo Hills District*, u la iohi ia ki Skei Phlang (Maraka Kilgong) ha ka jingleit lynti jong u hapdeng ka Nagalbibra bad ka Baghmara.

Une u Nongthoh ha ka snem 1976 ha ka por ba u wan na Shillong sha Jowai, ha shwa ban poi ha u thiep Mookyndur, u la iohi ia kawet ka Skei Phlang kaba mareh sted kumba don ba beh ia ka, ba ka her iap her im lyngba ka surok. Kane ka Skei Phlang ka la wan na ka pyntha Sung bad mareh sharum surok. Ia ka met jong ki Skei Phlang la sop da u shñruh ba byrlong bthuh bad don ki jingthoh ba stem ha ka met. Ha ka khmat don ki jingthoh laiñ ba leh ar tylli naneng ka khmut haduh halor ki khmat. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da u shñruh ba byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Skei Phlang ki long ki mrad ba wad jingbam mynmiet. Ki long kiba tieng bieit bha, tang shu sngewpher, ki la mareh sted sha khap ki dieng rit kiba khah, khnang ban nym lap ne iohi ia ki. Dei na kane ka daw ba shitom bha ban lap ne iohi ia ki.

Ki Skei Phlang ki ju shong ha ki krem maw ba don bad ki phlang kiba jrong ne ha khap ki maw kiba heh ba don bad ki phlang kiba jrong. Ki im da kaba bam ia u phlang, ki sla dieng bad ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bun sker. Ki Skei Phlang ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Blang. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long 6 bnai. Ki ju kha khun iwei ne ar tylli shisien kha. Ia ki Skei Phlang la lap ba ki don ha ki katto katne ki jaka hapoh Meghalaya. La lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

#### **Ki jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Skei:**

Na ki Skei ngi ioh ia ka doh Skei, kaba bang bad ba shngiam bha ban bam. Ia ka snieh jong ki, don ki briew ba ju pynlong jaka shong da kaba tap ia ki halor ki mula. Ia ki reng jong ki Skei ki briew ki ju wah rong ia ki ha la ki iing ki sem.

Khnan ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Skei, la dei ban ri noh ia ki kumba ri ia ki Masi bad ki Blang. Ha kaba sdang lah ban ri tang khyndiat tylli, shynrang bad kynthei, bad ynda ki la roi, dei ban shna da ka *farm* kaba heh bad ynda ki la bun bha lah ban pyniap katto katne na ki bad sa leit die, sha ki iew ki hat. Lada ki briew jong ngi kin jop ha kaba ri ia ki Skei, khlem artatien kito ki nongri kin sa kylla long ki *Millionaire*. Namar ka doh Skei ka long kaba bang bha, kumta ki briew kin thied rem ia ka. Namarkata ka Sorkar ka la dei ban ailad ia ki briew ban ri ia ki Skei namar, ki mrad ba ri u briew kum ki Masi ki Blang bad ki Sniang wat la ki shah pyniap man ka sngi ruh kin nym duh jaid satia.

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## Lynnong 10

### KI BLANG KHLAW

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Blang Khloo. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Mat'rong. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ña ki kum ki *Gorals* lane ki *Wild Goats*.

Ki Blang khlaw haba ki la san pura bha, naduh ka slajat ba shakmat jong ki haduh ka tyrpeng, ki jrong hapteng arphew hynriew inshi bad arphew phra inshi. Ki khia pat hapteng arphew saw *kilo* bad laiphew san *kilo*. Ki Blang khlaw ki don ruh ka jingñasariem kaba jan bha bad ki Blang Shnong ba ri ki briew.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba ki Blang khlaw shynrang bad kynthei ki long kiba don bad ki reng halor ka khlieh jong ki. Ki reng jong ki, ki jrong hapteng san inshi bad hynriew inshi. Ka bynta ba sha kliar jong ki reng ka long kaba jlih bad ba nep bha. Ha ka bynta kaba sah pat jong ki reng haduh ha trai pat, ki don ki jingat ba pyllun kum ki sahti bad ki jingthem ba pyllun hi. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba heh kat ki khmat jong ki Blang shnong hi. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor kiba ñeng. Ka shyntur jong ki ruh ka long kum ka shyntur jong ki Blang shnong hi. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaif bad ba nep. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba khlaif bad ba ksah. Ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki don ki khnap syriem kumba long ki Blang shnong hi.

Ña ka met ki Blang khlaw la sop da u shñiuh ba lyngkot, ba khah bad ba da ka rong ba lam byrlieh bñuh. Ha ka bynta ba napoh ryndang jong ki don khyndiat ka jaka ba la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot kum u tdong jong ki Blang shnong hi bad la sop ña u da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong.

Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ba tbit bad ba skhem bha ki kjat ban ñaid ha ki rai-eh raidam, ki riat ki ram, ki synrang syngkit bad ha ki sharing lum. Haba ki don ha ka jingma, ki lah ban mareh sted bha wat ha kum kitei ki jaka ba la kdew haneng.

Ki Blang khlaw ki im da kaba bam ña ki phlang, ki khah, ki sder, ki sla dieng bad ña ki shylluid jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Ki im hapoh ka kynthun kaba rit kaba hapteng saw tylli bad phra tylli. Ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por step bad janmiet, mynsngi ki ju shong thait ha ki jaka ba don ki mawlong mawsiang. Ki Blang Khlaw shynrang pat ki im bad ñaid wad jingbam marwei. Hynrei ha ka aïom shongkha kaba naduh u Nailar haduh u bnai Rísaw, la ju ñohi ba ki leit wad jingbam ryngkat shynrang bad kynthei. Ha kane ka aïom ruh ka don ka jingñaleh markynti, ka jingñai reng bad ka jingñatynjuh bor hapteng ki Blang khlaw shynrang; kiba jop ha ka jingñaleh ki ñoh ban ñapoikha poiman. Ki Blang khlaw shynrang, mar ña kut ka aïom shongkha shongman ki krad noh la ka lynti. Namarkata, ka kmie ka long ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongda nongker, ka nongbsa nongpjiah bad ka nongpynheh pynsan ña la i khun. Hadien hynriew bnai ba ki la ñapoikha ki Blang khlaw kynthei ki ju kha tang iwei i khun shisien kha, teng khat eh ki lah ban kha synrap ar tylli.

Kumba long mynta ña ki Blang Khlaw la lap ba ki don sa tang ha ka ri lum Garo. Ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills te imat ki Blang khlaw ki la duh jaid. Namar la kham bun snem mynta ym ju Yohsngew shuh ba kin ñalap ba don ki nongbeh mrad ba ñoh da ki Blang Khlaw. Ha ka por ba mynshwa ki nongbeh mrad ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills, ynda ki lap ña ka jaka sah jong ki Blang Khlaw, kaba bun sien hi ka long hapoh ki krem, ki ju leit thap hajan ka jaka ba kin mih na ki krem. Kumta mar ña mih kawei ki siat tham bad ka kyllon ñap hajuh. Hadien katto katne por mih sa kawei bad ña

kata ruh ki siat pynġap kumjuh hi. Kumne ki ĩai leh haduh ba kata ka kynthun ki Blang khlaw kiba sah hapoh kata ka krem, kin shah siat pynġap lut. Dei na ka jongsiat pathar bad na ka jingpynġap dusmon ĩa ki, da ki nongbehmrad jong ngi hi, ba ki sa duh sa dam noh na sla kane ka pyrthei hapoh u pud u sam jong ka ri lum Khasi bad Jaintia.

Īa ki Blang Khlaw la lap ha kylleng ki khlaw ki btap jong ka Garo Hills. Ki wad jingbam sha ki jaka ba long riat bha bad ha ki jaka ba don ki mawlong ki mawsiang. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

Dei ruh ban ĩaleh ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai ruh ĩa ki. Ka la dei ruh ka por ban pyrshang ban ri ĩa ki kumba ri ĩa ki Blang Shnong, da kaba leh kumta kan ĩarap bha ĩa ka ĩoh ka kot jong ka jylla jong ngi. Namar kan pynduna ĩa ka jingwanrah ĩa ki Blang na ri Dkhar, khnang ban pyndap doh Blang ĩa ki nongshongshnong jong ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka juh ka por kan long ka jingpynneh pynsah ĩa ki namar, ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh ba ri u khun bynriew kim ju duh jaid.

### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ĩoh na ki Blang Khlaw:**

Na ki Blang khlaw ngi ĩoh ĩa ka doh jong kiban bam. Īa ki reng jong ki pat, ban sah pynġynnad ha la ki ĩing ki sem bad ĩa ka snieh jong ki pat ban tap ĩa ki ksing bad ki mula.

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*Ki Blang Khlaw ki long kiba tbit ban ĩaid ha ki lum ki thiep.*

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## Lynnong 11

### KI KHLA

Ha Meghalaya don bun jaid ki Khla naduh kiba heh, kiba shu pdeng ka jingheh haduh kiba rit tam.

#### 11.1 Ki 'La Khyrwang.

Ya kiba la khot ha ka ktien Jaintia Ki Khla Wahlareifn, ha ka ktien Garo k1 khot ia ki ki Matcha-Chidwal bad ha ka ktien Phareng pat ki khot ia ki ki *Royal Bengal Tiger*. Kine ki dei ki jaid khla ba heh tam kiba don hapoh ki khlaw ka Jylla Meghalaya. Ki 'La Khyrwang ki long ki mrad saw kjat bad kiba itriem ka dur ka dar ban peit namar, ki long kiba jubam briew. Ka jingjrong jong ki naduh khlieh haduh kliar u tdong ka long 12 phut. Na ka kjat ba sha khmat jong ki haduh tyrpeng haba ki ieng ki jrong ar pruh. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bad ba lam pyllun. Haba k1 la san pura bha ka khlieh jong ki naduh ka shkor kamon haduh ka shkor kadiang ka heh shi pruh. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh bad k1 bniat ruh ki long kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlaifn bad ba nep har har. Kumta ki lah ban dait, ban ktha bad ban pynpait wat ia k1 shyieng jong ki mrad ruh. K1 don ar tylli ki khmat ba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ki kjat jong k1, ki long kiba heh, kiba ksah bad ba khlaifn bha. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki ruh ki long kiba khlaifn bha. K1 tyrsim kjat jong k1 ki long kiba lam kdor, kiba eh bad ba nep har har, ia kiba k1 pyndonkam ban ksam bad ban bat ia ki mrad ha ka por ba ki dait ban pyniap ia ki, khnang ba kin dup ioh ban bam. K1 lah ruh ban buhrieh ia k1 tyrsim jong ki hapoh ki sniehdoh, kumba ki miaw ruh ki lah ban buhrieh ia la k1 tyrsim. Ki demjat jong ki 'La Khyrwang ba la san pura bha ki heh pyllun kumba shi tda tam ne khadar inshi.

Ia ka met jong ki baroh shiryineng la sop da u shñiuh uba jem. ba jlilh, ba phymai itynnad bad ba thoh khyrwang da ka rong byrsaw, rong lieh, rong iöng bad rong lambyrtem. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng beit kum ki shkor miaw bad la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba iöng bad hapdeng jong ki shkor pat don ka jingthoh ronglieh tiak. U shñiuh napoh ki shkor khamtam narud jong ki pat u long uba saw lam byrtem. Ia ka khmat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba thoh ter ter kum u laiñ ba da ka rong iöng bad rong lieh. Ia ka bynta ba nalar jong ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli la sop da u shñiuh ba byrsaw lam byrtem bad ba thoh iöng de. Ia ka bynta ba shapoh ki kjat jong ki pat la sop da u shñiuh ba thoh lieh thoh iöng bad lam byrtem de. U tdong jong ki u jrong kumba ar pruh ei ei bad la sop ia u da u shñiuh uba thoh rong pyllun pyllun bad ba shong mar syndah ne mar khap da ka rong iöng rong lieh bad lam byrtem saw malu mala.

Ki don ki tmaifn kiba jrong, ba jwat, kiba lieh ka rong bad ba long bih. Namarkata, k1 nongsiat mrad jong ngi haba ki la pyniap ia u Khla, ki ju thang ia ki tmaifn jong ki khnang ba ki riewsniew kin nym ioh lad ban phut ia ki tmaifn khnang ba kin ai bih ia ki briew.

Ki 'La Khyrwang ki long kiba iphuh iphieng bad ba don ka main kum u Syiem ki mrad. Wat la ki long kumne ruh ki briew ki tieng bad itriem ia ki namar ki ju pyniap bad bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki briew. Ka met ka phad jong ki ka long kaba ksah bha bad ki long ruh kiba khlaifn haduh katta katta. U Bah B. Pakynteifn u iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la kham bun snem mynta ba uwei u Khla u la ngat ha kawei ka sem ba ki riam ia u. Kumta khnang ban nym pynlut ei ia u kuli suloi ki shim da u sum bad dung ia uta u Khla hynrei, la ki dung katno katno ruh namar uta u Khla u la iohi te u sa pyneh ia kamet jong u bad u sum u hap noh sharud met jong u, khlem mynsaw ei ei ruh. Ha kaba khadduh ki hap ban siat ia uta u Khla da ka suloi bad ki sa ioh ban sei ia u napoh kata ka sem.

Ki 'La Khyrwang ki lah ban kylla Khla bam briew haba ki la mynsaw ne haba ki la tymmen. Namar ynda ki la tymmen katto katne tylli ki bniat jong ki, ki la lop bad kim khlaif bor shuh kum haba ki dang samla ban beh mrad bad kumta ki kham suk ban bam ia ka doh briew namar, ba ka doh briew ka long kaba kham jem bad lung shibun haba ia nujor bad ka doh jong kiba bun ki mrad khlaw.

"Ki 'La Khyrwang ki long ki mrad ba sngewtynnad ban iaid ban ieng bad ban im marwei hi. U Khla shynrang bad ka Khla kynthei kim iashong iasah ne ia im ryngkat kum shi tnga ha ka juh ka iing ka sem ne ka krem. Dei tang ha ka por shongkha shongman ba lah ban iohi ba ki iaiaid lang ban iapah ialur samla kaba neh hapoh shi taiew ne 15 sngi ei ei. Hynrei ka por ba ki iapoikha poiman pat ka dei tang hapoh lai sngi. Hapoh kine ki lai sngi ka jingiaipoikha jong ki ruh, ka long kaba khah khah bad kaba bunsien bha khnang ba kan long kaba seisoh bad kata ka long ba ka Khla kan punkhun. Ki Khla ki iapoikha poiman kumba iapoikha ki miaw da kaba u shynrang u dait na ryndang ka kynthei bad ia iapoikha artad. Ka por pun khun jong ka Khla pat ka long kaba lyngkot bha, tang hapoh san bnai ne 150 sngi, namar ba ka Khla, wat ha ka por pun khun bad ka por kha khun ruh ka hap ban bsa bam ialade bad ia ki khun jong ka ruh. U Khla shynrang tang shu dep ka por iapoikha u la iaid la ka lynti bad um ju treh ban iarap ban bsa bam ia ka Khla wat haba ka la armet ne ka dang ri khun ruh. Namarkata, U Blei u la buh ia ka Khla ban pun khun tang hapoh khyndiat bnai, khnang ba ka jingpunkhun jong ka kan nym long ka daw ban khanglad ia kaban beh mrad bad ban ioh ia la ka jingbam. Ki Khla kynthei ki ju kha khun ha ka por Lyiur, khamtam ha u Nailar. Ki Khla ki kha khun ruh hynriew tylli shisien kha bad na kine ju im tang ar tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun Khla ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat peit khmat bad ki bym don bor ei ei ruh ban iada ialade. Hynrei, ka Khla ka long kaba ieid khun bha bad kaba sumar khun bha. Wat la katta ruh ki khun jong ka kim ju im lut baroh".

Ki Khla shynrang kumba long ki Miaw-wa, lada ki ioh ia ki khun Khla shynrang kin pyniap beit bad bam ia ki. Kumta ka Khla ha ka por ba dang rit ki khun ka long kaba phikir bha ban lait ki khun na ka jingshah pyniap bad bam ha ki Khla shynrang, ne ha kiwei pat ki mrad kum ki Suri, ki Myrsiang, ki Ksew khlaw bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad kiba lah ban pyniap bad bam ia ki khun jong ka.

"Ka jingialang paralok kaba kham slem ka long hapdeng ka Khla bad ki khun jong ka. Ka ju ri khun hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem. Haba ki khun ki dang rit ka ju buhrieh ia ki hapoh ka krem, khnang ban lait na ka jingma na ki Khla shynrang bad na kiwei kiwei ki mrad ba lah ban pyniap ia ki. Haba ki khun ki la kham san bad ki la khlaif bha ka ju ialam ia ki sha ka jaka ba ka la dep pyniap mrad. Ka ialam ia ki ruh tang ha ka por miet. Hashwa ba kan ialam ruh ka da peit sylli bha ioh don kiwei pat ki mrad ba lah ban pyniap ia ki khun jong ka. Ynda poi ha ka jaka ba don kata ka mrad ba ka la pyniap, ka dait ia ka snieh kata ka mrad ban dup paw ka doh, khnang ba ki khun jong ka kin ioh ban bam suk. Haba ki khun jong ka ki la kdang, ka sa sdang ban bam ialade bad hashwa ban kynjat shai ka la leit ialam ia la ki khun shapoh krem. Nangta ka sa pyinkhuid ia ka shyntur jong ki khun jong ka, da kaba jliah ia ki shyntur jong ki da u thylliej jong ka".

"Ka Khla barabor ka ju hikai ia la ki khun kumno ban beh mrad. Ha ka por ba ka shong ne dem kai ka ju pyinkhih ia la u tdong, ha kata ka rukom ba ki khun jong ka kin skuif bad ktik ia kiban kynrup bad kem ia uta u tdong. Hynrei, hamar ka por ba ki kynrup ka pyinkynriah ia la u tdong khnang ba kin nym ioh kem ne dait ia u tdong jong ka. Ka Khla ka ju hikai ruh ia la ki khun ban ialehkai ban iariet bad ia wad bad la ki khun. Ki nang bad tip ban ap thap ia kiwei pat ki mrad da kaba wad ia la ka kmie kaba rieh hapoh sañium".

"Haba ki khun Khla ki la san, bad ka kmie jong ki ka la pun khun biang, ka iehnoh ãa la ki khun ban ãaid bad im la ka jong ka lynti bad kam shah shuh ãa kiban shong ban sah bad ka. Ki khun Khla ba dang shu iehnoh ka kmie ki ju ãa ãaid ãa ãeng bad ãa im lang para ma ki. Hynrei, hadien katto katne por haba ki la sngewkhlaif bha, ki ãa khlad paralok noh bad ki ãaid ki ãeng bad im la ka jong ka lynti".

"Ki Khla ki ju trud ãa ka snep jong ki diengbah da la ki tyrsim, kumba ju trud ka miaw ban pyni ãa la u pud u sam ne ban pynnep ãa la ki tyrsim". Hynrei ka lah ruh ban long kumba ju ong ki riewtymmam ba ki thmat khnang ban dup tip sha kano ka liang ban leit ba kin dup ãoh mrad lane ba kin dup tip la kin ãoh mrad ne em ha kata ka sngi.

"Ki Khla shynrang ki ju buh dak ãa la u pud u sam da kaba jung ha trai jong ki diengbah kiba don hapoh u pud u sam jong ki. Ki trud ruh ãa ka khyndew bad ãa ka snep jong ki diengbah ban pyni ãa la u pud u sam. Nalor kane ban pynskhem ãa la u pud u sam ki ju ãaid pahara man ka por ãa la u pud u sam. Hynrei, lada don uwei pat u Khla u ban shlan ban rung hapoh u pud u sam jong uwei pat u Khla, uta u trai jaka un pynãap ãa uta uba rung hapoh u pud u sam jong u. Ki Khla Kynthei ruh ki buh dak ãa la u pud u sam kumba leh ki Khla shynrang. Hynrei, kim da leh janai bha kumba leh ki Khla shynrang. Ha ka por ba ka Khla Kynthei ka la kwah tnga, ka buh la u pud u sam da kaba ka pynjhieha trai jong ki dieng ba don hapoh ka jaka ba ka shong. Ka jingpynjhieha ruh ha kaba kum kane ka por ka long kaba jur bha ka jingsma. U Khla shynrang u tang shu poi ha kata ka jaka u ãoh sngew ãa kata ka jingsma bad u sngewthuh ãa ka jingkwah lok jong ka Khla bad ãa u ruh ka pynkhuh ãa ka jinglong shynrang jong u bad u sa leit ban ãapoikha bad ka." ãa kine ki jingthoh haneng la ãoh na kaba sngap bad ãohi ãa ka jingbatai bad jingpyni ha kawei na ki *programe* jong ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*. "Ki Khla haba ki mynsaw ne don jingmong ha ka met jong ki, ki ãai jlah ãa kata ka jaka ba mong da u thylliej jong ki bad hadien katto katne sngi kata ka jingmong ka jem noh namar, ka umbiah jong ki ka dei kaba long dawai. Hynrei, lada ka jingmynsaw ka long kaba jylliew, bunsien ãa kaba ym lah ban pynkhiah shuh bad hadien ki sa ãap na kata ka jingmynsaw".

Ka jingkyrhuh jong ki Khla ka long kaba sawa jam bha bad ba sngewtriam ban sngap, khamtam lada phi don hapoh khlaw.

Haba shit kyrang ka sngi, ki Khla ki ju ngam ãalade hapoh ka wah bad pyllait sa tang ãa ka khlieh, khnang ban pynthanda ãalade.

U Bah Bniah Lathong uba na ka shnong Khatkasla u la ãathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Khla ki ju kheif ne lop ki bniat haduh lai sien ha ka jingim jong ki. Ki briew ki ju kheif bniat tang ar sien ha ka jingim jong ki, ha ka jingkheif ne lop ki bniat ha ka sien kaba nyngkong ki mih biang da kiwei pat ki bniat. Hynrei hadien ka jinglop ba arsien jong ki bniat jong u briew ne ka briew, kim mih shuh. Katba ki Khla pat hadien ba ki la lop bniat la ar sien ruh ki mih bniat biang. Hynrei hadien ka jinglop ki bniat jong ki ha kaba lai sien lai wat te kim ju mih shuh bad ki la tymmen artad.

Ki Khla ki long ki mrad ba bam da ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Barabor ki Khla ki ju ap thap ãa ki mrad kum ãa ki Sier, ki Skei, ki Bthong, ki Shrieh bad ãa kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad, ha ki jaka ba sañium bad ba jrong ki phiang. Ynda ki mrad ki poi shajan ka jaka ba ki ap thap, ki sa par sor sor kumba par ka Miaw bad ki sa kynthih bad kynrup ãa kano kano ka mrad ba ki la jied ban pynãap. Haba ki ap thap ruh ki apthap na ka jaka ba beh ka lyer mar pyrshah, ki mrad ba ju shah bam ha ki Khla ki long kiba nep bha ki khmut ban iw ãa ka jingsma Khla ne kiwei pat ki mrad ba lah ban pynãap ãa ki. Kumta lada ki apthap na ka jaka ba ka lyer kan beh na ki Khla sha ka jaka ba don ki mrad, ka lyer kan kit ãa ka jingsma Khla sha kita ki mrad bad kin her ãap katba don la ka bor bad kumta ki Khla

kin nym foh ya ki. Teng teng ki ju beh ya ki mrad hynrei, ka long kaba eh ban foh ya ki namar, kitei ki mrad ki long kiba phikir bha, ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba lai sngapthuh foh don kano kano ka jingsawa kaba lah ban long ka jingmysaw ne jingfap hi ya ki bad ki long ruh kiba sted ban mareh. Namarkata, ki Khla barabor ki pyndonkam da ka buit ban apthap ya ki mrad khnang ba kin dup foh mrad ban bam. Bunsien hi, ki Khla ki ju kynrup ya ki mrad najan ryngdang khnang ba kin dup foh pyndkut ya u tangkro jong kita ki mrad ba kin dup fap hashen. Ki ju kynrup ruh nadien khnang ban lait ban mysaw ne ban shah dung ha ki reng jong kita ki mrad. Ki riwtymmen ki fathuh ba ki Khla ynda ki foh mrad ki ju pynshad ya kita ki mrad kumba ka miaw ka ju pynshad ya i Khnai hashwa ba kin bam ya ki. Ki ju pynshad ruh tang ya ki mrad ba rit hynrei, ya ki mrad ba heh kum ya ki Sier, ki Mynthna bad kiba kum kita namar ba ki long kiba khia te kim ju pynshad ya ki.

Ki Khla ki ju faleh bad ki 'Niang khlaw ne ki 'Niang Kwang ba la mih bnai bad teng teng ki ju shah pynfap ha ki 'Niang khlaw. U Bah Hedra Dkhar ba na ka shnong Musniang u la fathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la kumba 40 snem mynshwa uwei u rangbah na ka shnong Moolamanoh (ya uba um kynmaw kyrteng shuh mynta) u la leit siat mrad sha ka khlaw ba don shajan ka kshaid Leshka. Ynda u la poi ha katei ka khlaw u la fohi kham na jngai ya uwei u 'Niang khlaw ba la san pura bha bad ba la mih ki bnai kaba jrong bha narud ka shyntur jong u. Kumta u la buddien ya uta u Sniang. Hynrei tang hadien katto katne por u la fohi sa ya uwei u 'La Khyrwang uta ruh uba dang buddien ya uta u Sniang. Ynda poi ha kawei ka jaka ba them bad ba don ktieh, uta u Sniang u la pynngam ya la ka met hapoh kata ka ktieh bad u la pangah khlieh bad pyrjah ya la ka shyntur. Uta u Khla ruh u la tur shajan ba don uta u sniang u da dem bad pynkhih ya la u tdong bad leh kumban khynrup ya uta u Sniang. Hamar kata ka por uta u briew u la rai ban siat ya u sniang bad u la thew ya ka suloi sha u Sniang bad siat dam. Mar ya riew dam uta u sniang u la poi ha u Khla namar ki ya don marjan bad u la tar ya ka kpoh u Khla tang shisien kawang da la ki bnai ba jrong bad nep har har bad phlei ki snier u Khla sha madan. Hangta hi baroh ar, u Khla bad u Sniang ki fakyrtap fap hajuh. Uta u briew pat u leit phai noh sha la shnong ban pynkhie paid ban leit rah ya kita ki mrad bad hadien ki sa ya bam shngiam ya ka doh jong ki. Ya ki Sniang lud bad ya ki sniang heh ki bym pat don bnai u Khla u ju kem jem ya ki kumba kem ya ki skei bad u sa bam ya ki.

Ka Khla ba dang ri khun rit bad u Khla ba la mysaw, ki long ki jaid Khla kiba ma bha ban ya kynduh. Hynrei ki riwtymmen ki ju fathuh ba haba ya kynduh ya u Khla ne ya uno uno u mrad haba phi faid hapoh khlaw ong ya kine ki kyntien, "Nga khlem wan shane ban faleh bad phi hynrei nga leit ban pyndep ya la ka jong ka kam. Kumta khie me faid la ka lynti nga ruh ngan faid la ka lynti". Hadien ba phi la ong ya kitei ki kyntien u Khla ne uno uno u mrad un ym nud ban kynrup ya phi. Namar U Blei u la buh ya u briew ban long kham halor jong ki laiphew mrad ki laiphew mreng. Hynrei la phi kren ba heh ne leh ba heh pat u mrad ruh u don la ka hok ban pynfap ne pynmysaw ya u briew.

Ki Khla ki sngewtynnad ban shong ha ka bynta ba ka khlaw kam da khah eh ki dieng, ha ki lawbniap bad ha ki jaka ba jrong ki phlang khnang ba kin suk ban apthap ya ki mrad khlaw. Ki Khla heh ki long ki mrad ba lah ban kiew ya ki dieng, hynrei, ki kiew tang ha ki bynta ba heh ki tnad. Sha klier ki dieng bad ha ki bynta ba ki tnad dieng ki long kiba khamrit kim nud ban kiew foh ki kdiah ki tnad bad kumta kin hap shapoh khyndew bad fap. Dei tang ki Khla ba kham rit kum ki Khla thapsim kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ya ki Shrieh ki Tngaw, ki Khla heh ki ju apthap ya ki haba ki hiar sha khyndew.

U Bah S.G. Momin, I.P.S., uba la ju long teng u *Superintendent of Police, Jaintia Hills District*, Jowai mynshwa, u la fathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba hapoh Garo Hills dang don ki briew haduh kine ki sngi kiba lah ban kylla Khla. Ha ka por ba une u nongthoh u dang rit ruh u la ju bna ba

don ki brieve hapoh Jaintia Hills, khamtam ki Bhoi kiba lah ban kylla Khla. Hynrei mynta la slem jlang ym ju kham iohsngew shuh ya ka jinglah ki brieve ban kylla Khla. Ki brieve ba lah ban kylla Khla ki ju thiah ha la iing bad ki leit shabar ne khlaw ha ka dur u Khla bad kat ia kaba ki lap la ia u Brieve, u Ksew, u Sniang ne kano kano ka mrad ki pyniap bad bam ia ka. Hynrei lada uta u Khla ba la kylla na u brieve u shah siat bad u iap, uta u brieve ba kylla Khla ruh un iap. Ka dak jingmysaw kan paw ha ka met jong u nongkylla Khla kumba ka la paw ha ka met u Khla ba la shah siat. Kata lada la siat ia u Khla na ka khlieh, ka jingmysaw ha ka met uba kylla Khla ruh kan long ha ka khlieh hi. Ia u Khla ba kylla na u brieve lada u dei u Bhoi lah ban ithuh ia u na ki thliew shkor ba don ha ki shkor u Khla namar ki Bhoi shynrang ki ju don ki thliew shkor kiba heh ba ki ju deng Khaila. Namarkata ki nongsiat mrad ha ki por ba mynshwa lada ki ioh ban siat pyniap ia u Khla, ki ju peit ia ki shkor u Khla la ki don thliew ne em. Lada ki don thliew ka mut ba dei u Khla ba la kylla na u brieve.

U Bah Lee Sumer ba na ka shnong Kharkhana, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la kham bun snem bha, kata naduh ka por ba u Sahep Tkoh (Kata ia u Sahep C.S. Booth, uba ki Jaintia ki ju khot ieid ia u, u Sahep Tkoh namar ba u dkoh) u dang long *S.D.O. (Civil)* jong ka Jaintia Hills District, u kpa u Bah Lee bad u Sahep Booth ki la leit siat mrad sha thain Umshit (Garompani). Katba ki dang ia iaid ban thap mrad hapoh ka khlaw ba don hajan ka Umshit, kynsan kynsan la mih uwei u 'La Kyrwang bad u Sahep Booth u la bthah ia u kpa u Bah Lee ban siat. U ruh u la siat dam bad u Khla u la iap ha shen namar u la dei na ka khlieh. Tang hadien shipor la wan poi uwei u Bhoi bad u la iam rangbah rangsan bad u la kynnoh ruh ia kiba ki la siat iap ia u hymmen jong u U Sahep Booth, ha ka jingdom u la thew ia ka suloi sha uta u Bhoi bad u la ong, "Pleng me la phah ia u hymmen jong me ban wan bam ia ngi". Ha ka jingkyndit kaba kem ruh bad ka jingsheptieng uta u Bhoi u la pan map bad u la leit noh la ka lynti.

I hymmen une u nongthoh i Kong W.D. Laloo i la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ia kaer kaba i Mrs. Singh Sangma (Kaba long ka trai iing ha kaba i la sah ha Tura ha ka por ba i dang hikai ha Tura Government Collage) ka la iathuh ia i, ba shisien katba ka Mrs. Singh Sangma ka dang leit sha Shillong da ka kali lajong, ka la ilam ia uwei u khynnah Garo ba shong trei bad ki lem bad u *driver*. Katba ka kali ka dangiaid, uta u khynnah u la iohthiah bad ha kata ka por ki la iohi ia uwei u Khla ba iaid narud narud ka surok ba iaid kata ka kali. Hadien shiphang ka Mrs. Sangma ka la kynmaw ha na ka shnong uta u khynnah don ki brieve ba lah ban kylla Khla, kumta ka la kysriew ia uta u khynnah bad u mar ia kyndit uta u Khla ruh u jah noh.

U Ma Kiron Laloo (Bam kwai ha dwar U Blei) u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha ka por ba u dang shong Bhoi, shisien u la sah miet ha iing uwei u Bhoi ha ka por tlang. U la iohi ba, ki khun ba dangrit uta u Bhoi hynhiew ngut, ki khlem phong jaiñ, wat uta u Bhoi bad ka lok jong u ruh ki shu da malu mala ha ka syngkai jong ki da ka jaiñ. Ha kata ka por ki dang ia syaid ding harud ka dpei kaba don hapdeng ka kamra shetja bad lah ban thang dieng ha kata ka dpei na baroh ki liang. Hadien ba ki la dep bam ja miet bad iashongkai katto katne por ki la khreh ban thiah noh da kaba siang da ki shylliah bad ki thiah kumto khlem kup nep. Kumta u ma Kiron u la kylli ia uta u Bhoi, "Hato phim ia khriat, la shibit ynda la lip kane ka ding?" Uta u Bhoi u la ong, "Ynda ngi la iohthiah ngin phong da ki jaiñ ba ngi ju phong, tang phi te wat sheptieng mo, lada phi kyndit bad iohi ia ki jaiñ ba ngi phong". U Ma Kiron pat u la jubab, "Ngan sheptieng lei lada phi phong da kiba kumno kumno ki jaiñ ruh". Uta u u Bhoi u la ong pat, "To kata ngin iathiah noh". Bad u Ma Kiron ruh u la jubab "To". Ha ka por kynjat shai u Ma Kiron u la kyndit na kaba iohthiah bad u la iohi ba kita ki Bhoi baroh shi kmie shi kpa bad ki khun ki la kylla Khla lut. Dei hangta ba u sa peiphang ia ka jingong uta u Bhoi ia u "Wat sheptieng lada phi kyndit bad iohi ia ki jaiñ ba ngi phong". Kumta u khlem pynpaw ia ka jingtieng jong u kumba u la dep ong, "Ngan sheptieng lei lada phi phong da kiba kumno kumno ki



jaiñ ruh". Bad u la thiah biang. Ha ka por step, ynda ki la ña khie thiah baroh, kita ki Khla ki la kylla briew biang baroh.

U briew uba lah ban kylla Khla lada u hap ban leit lynti mynmiet bad dei ñaid na khlaw, un kylla Khla khnang ba un dup poi kham kloï sha ka jaka ba u thmu ban leit.

Ña kane ka jingngeit ba don ki briew ba lah ban kylla Khla la ngeit ym tang da ki Khasi, ki Jaintia, ki Garo hynrei, la ngeit ruh da ki Naga bad ki *Negro* jong ka dewbah Africa.

Ha ka por mynshwa, ka thaiñ Sutnga bad Nongkhlieh ka long kaba jyllei bha ki Khla. Ha kito ki por bun ki briew ki ju shah dart Khla bad don ruh kiba shah bam ha ki Khla. Haba ki ñoh ban siat pynñap ña u Khla bam briew ki ju peit ha u dohnud jong u khnang ban dup tip katno ngut ki briew uta u Khla u la bam. Lada don lai tylli ki shñiuh ha ka dohnud u Khla ka mut ba uta u Khla u la dep bam lai ngut ki briew. U dohnud jong u Khla hym pat bam briew pat um don wat tang uwei u shñiuh ruh.

U Bah S.G. Momin, I.P.S., u la ñathuh ruh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Khla ha Garo Hills ki ju pynlong ña ka jingñalang ba shisien shisnem jong ki (*Annual Conference*) hapoh kawei ka lawbah lawsan kaba kyrteñg "Jaksongram". Kane ka khlaw ka don kumba 3 Km. na ka shñong Baghmara. Ha kane ka jingñalang ba shisien shisnem jong ki Khla, kito ki briew ba lah ban kylla Khla ruh ki ju leit sha katei ka jingñalang. Dei kine ki briew kiba lah ban kylla Khla kiba ju maham ña ki paralok jong ki hym bit ban leit shajan katei ka khlaw ha ka por ba ki pynlong ña ka jingñalang jong ki, namar ki Khla na kylleng ki wan sha kata ka jingñalang bad kumta ka long kaba ma bad mynsaw ban don sha ka jaka ba bun ki Khla.

Ki Jaintia ki ngeit ruh ba u Khla u lah ban leit wad jingbam haduh 12 tylli ki shñong ha kawei ka miet.

"Katkum ki khanatang jong kiba bun ki jaid riwllum jong ka jylla Arunachal Pradesh, u Khla u ñoh ka bynta ba kham kongsan ha ki khanatang jong ki. Ka khanatang shaphang u Khla ka long kaba ñasyriem bha hapdeng ki ri riwllum bapher jong ka Arunachal Pradesh. Katkum katei ka khanatang, u briew bad u Khla ha kaba nyngkong ki ñadei shipara, ki la wan ne mih na ka juh ka ñawbei. Katkum ka jingngeit jong ki nong Adi, la ong ba ka Pedong Nanc, kaba long ka ñawbei, ka la ri bad sumar bha ña baroh ki khun ki kti jong kabad ka la hikai ruh ña ki ña kaei ban leh bad ña kaei bymbit ban leh, kaei kaba dei bad kaei ka bym dei. Hynrei, u Khla u don ka jinglong riwkhlaw ha u bad u la sngewtynnad ha ki kam runar bad ki kam thok. Ka ñawbei Pedong Nanc ka la duh ka jingñashah jong kabad une u khun u bym lah shuh ban pynbeit bad ka la shoh la tangon ña u da u dieng ba dang meh ding. Ki dak ki shin ki dang neh ha ka met ka phad jong u ha ka dur ka jingthoh khyrwang. Hynrei, hadien ba u la shah shoh, u Khla um shym la kylla kaba mut bad u la phet shaphoh khlaw ban im ka jingim kat kumba u mon ne kwah ban im. Namar ba um pat tip kumno ban thung ban tep bad ban rep ban riang khnang ba un ñoh la kabam ka dih, u mih na khlaw ban rong ña ki jingri jingdup ba dei ki jong ki shñong ki thaw. Kane ka jinglong nongpynñap ña ki jingri jingdup jong u Khla ka la pynlong ña ki briew ban dom, ban shla, ban bitar bad ka la pynbor ña kiban pynhiar kput ña u Khla.

"Hadien ba ki la pynshitom ña u Khla, ki la ai ka jingsneng jingkraw ña u lyngba ka jingrwai kaba ong, "Ña me la pynñap namar ba me la long uba sniew bad me la lehsniew leh bakla ña ngi bad kumta mem dei ban shim ña ka kum ka jingsngewsih, mynta leit noh sha khlaw bad pyrsang ban im ka jingim kaba bha. Wat ju pynmynsaw ñano ñano ruh bad yn ym don uwei ruh u ban pynmynsaw ña me".

“Katsum ka khanatang jong ki Nong-Indu pat ka long kumne. Ka ųawbei Ini Donduli ka la kha ųa u bųew bad ųa ki mrad. Ki mrad kiba la kynthup ųa u Ini Asheų (U Shrieh) U Iniye Joye (U Dngiem) bad ųa u Amra (U Khla). U Todu (U Bųew), ha kaba nųyngkong u ųashong ryngkat bad ki hųnrei, hadien u la ųakhlad lok noh na ka Dngiem bad u Shrieh namar ka jinglong ba leh palat ųa kiei kiei jong ki. Nangta u la ųaleit ban ųashong ųasah ryngkat bad u Khla. Ha kawei ka sngi ki la ųa leit beh mrad bad u bųew u la jop (kata u la ųoh mrad). U la bųhah ųa u Khla ban leit tong um khnang ban dup lah ban shet syrwa ųa ka doh. Hųnrei, u Khla um treh ban leit bad u la ong ba ka doh im ka long kaba kham bang, bad ba kham shngiam ban bam. U bųew u la sngewsih ųa ka jinglong khlem raifų jong u Khla bad u la leit da lade hi ban tong um. U mar ųa leit, u Khla ubam lut ųa ka doh baroh khlem da ieh ei ei ruh ųa u bųew. Ynda u wanphai na khlaw u bųew u la ųohi bym don doh shuh, lait noh ki shyieng ba la tyrkhong bad u la tim la mai ųa u Khla namar ka jinglong sniew jong u. Hųnrei u Khla u la long jngai na kaban sngewbabe ųa la ka jingleh, bad u la ong ba un ym salia wat ųa ka doh jong ka kmie la jong hi ruh”.

“Ha ka jingsngewkthang, u bųew u la leit sha ka ųawbei Ini Donduli bad u la ųathuh ųa ka shaphang ka jingthmu ba sniew jong u Khla. Haba ka la ųohsngew ųa kane, ka ųawbei Ini Donduli ka la rai ban pynduh pyndam ųa ka jingthmu ba sniew jong u Khla, khnang ba u bųew un lah ban im. Ka la thaw kawei ka buit ba u bųew un lah ban jop ųa u Khla.”

“Ka la khot ųa ki baroh arngut ban ųashem bynta ha ka jingųakop bad u nongjop ha kane un long u nongsynshar ųa uba rem. Ha kata ka jingųakop baroh ar ngut ki dei ban jam ne klan sha shilliang ka wah bad poi ha ka rud wah ba mar pyrshah. U bųew da ka jingsapadoi da u jyrm bad u Khla da ka jingingi, uno uno uba ųoh ųuh nųyngkong sha shilliang jong ka rud wah u dei u nongjop.”

“Baroh arngut ki la monjur, baroh ar ki la sdang ban jam sha shilliang ka wah, hųnrei ka Ini Donduli ka la buh khnang katto katne tylli ki thyllah ha ka met jong u Khla khlem ka jingtip jong u. U tang shu sdang u Khla ban jngi, u la sdang ban dait bad buid jur bha ka met jong u. U la sdang ban jliah ųa ka met jong ubaroh kawei. Kane ka jingpynslem ka pynlah ųa u bųew ban poi sha shilliang ka wah kham kloi ban ųa u Khla”. U la bat ųa u khnam bad ka ryntih bad mar ųa poi u Khla hajan u la siat da uta u khnam bad u la sam lyngba u dohnud u Khla bad u la ųoh ban pynųap ųa u.

ųa kaba sah ka met jong u Khla ha ka dur jong ki shyieng [kata hadien ba ka met ka la pyut] la kit ųa ki arsut jong kata ka wah sha ka jaka ba kata ka wah ka don ka jingųar ba kham heh sha Sililera. Kawei ka sim kaba heh kaba ki khot ka ‘Prabo’, kaba don harud jong ka wah ka la ųohi ųa kawei ka shyieng ba lieh phymai hapoh ka wah kaba sngur bad ba jai jai. Ka la kwah ban tip kham bniah haba ka la ųohi ųa kata ka shyieng ba phylla bad ka la rah ųa kata ka shyieng harud jong kata ka wah bad pdem ųa ka haduh ar snem kynthih.

“Ha kaba kut bun ki khun Khla ki la mih na kata ka shyieng, ha ka dur ka dar, ka jingheh, ka rong ka rup bad ka jingthoh rong thoh rup kabapher bapher. Uba la mih nųyngkong u la long u Khlabah bad u la leit shalor ki lum. Hadien mih u Labasa bad bud sa u Khla ųong uba leit sha ki lum kiba kham lyngkot. Khadduh la mih ka miaw khlaw kaba la leit sha ki khlaw ba long sngem”.

“Ha la ki jaka shong ba thymmai ba ki la shem, ki la sdang ban kharoi bad nang bun bad dei kane ba lah ban ųohi ųa ki haduh kine ki sngi. Hųnrei, ka jingųashun ka jingųapen thlong sying thlong mluh bad u bųew bad u Khla bad ki nonghiar pateng jong ki, ka ųaineh ųaisah haduh kine ki sngi. Ki kiar iwei ųa iwei pat bad lada ųa u bųew la pynbor ban pynųap ųa u Khla u hap ban leh ųa ki

jingkiar kiba bun kiba long kiba sang bad u hap ban ai ka jingainguh aidem kaha kyrpang namar, u brier bad u Khla ki la mih na kajuha ka lawbei ka Ini Donduli”.

“Hadien ba la pyniap ia u Khla, u brier ynda u leit phai sha la iing, u shim ia ka shalyntem ban thir ksai, nangta u leit shajan uba shah pyniap, bad u sdang ban iam sngewsih ia ka jingpyniap ia u Khla, ia uba u la shah pynbor ban pyniap wat la u long u hymmen ranghah jong u bad u kular ba lano lano ruh un nym leh shuh ia kum kane ka kam bym hok.”

“Uta u brier udei ban bud pyrkhing bha ia ki jingsang ne ia ki jingkyndiah (*taboo*) bym bit ban leh na ka bynta shiphew sngi. Hapoh kine ki sngi umbit ban bam sohmynten ne ia ka doh ki mrad khlaw, u hap ban sangeh ban leit kai sha kano kano ka iing lane ban lur ia ka lyngkha bad um lah ban leit thohdieng na khlaw. La ngeit ba lada um lah ban pyndep ia kine ki jingkyndiah ne jingsang un sa ud Khla bad un sa iap na kata ka jingpang bad un sa mihpat kum u Khla bad pynhiar kput ia u brier. U Khla um shym la klet ia ka jingshah shet kylla ha ka por ba mynshwa bad u ju rongtuh ia ki *Mithun* (kiba long ki jaid masi kiba heh bad ba itynnad bha). Ia kane ka jingthoh haneng la sot na ka jingthoh kaba la mih ha ka kotkhubor Apphira.

## 11.2 Ki Khla Met.

Ki dei ki jaid Khla ia kiba la tip ha ka kuen Jaintia kum ki Khla Met hi, bad ki long ruh ki jaid Khla, kiba ar ha ka jingheh na ki jaid Khla ba don hapoh ka Jylla Meghalaya. Ka Khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 8 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong ar pruh duna. Haba ki ieng na ka slajat ba sha khmat jong ki haduh ka tympeng, ki jrong 3 pruh. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba thoh pan da ka rong stem bad ka rong ba lam byriong. Napoh ka met kaba kynthup ia ka kpoh la sop da u shiuh ba thoh pan ba da ka rong lam byrleeh bad ba stem. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh jong ki ka heh na ka shkor kamon haduh ka shkor kadiang shi pruh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki don artylli ki khmat kiba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kaba heh bad haba ki kyrhuh ka mih ka jingsawa kaba jam bha bad ba sngewtriem bha. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jwat, ba eh bad ba long bih. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba heh, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki tympeng bad ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ bor bha. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har.

Ki Khla Met ki shongkha kumba shongkha ki Miaw. Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang san bnai bad haba la biang ka por ki kha ar ne saw tylli ki khun. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew ne hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki ri khun haduh kumba shisnem tam ei ei bad ynda ki la pun khun biang, ki sa iehnoh ia la ki khun ba kin im bad iaid la ka lynti. Ha ka por ba ki Khla Met kynthei ki ri khun ki long kiba dom riang bha bad ka long ruh kaba ma ban iakynduh ia ki. Ki long pat kiba iaid khun bha bad ki sumar bha ia ki. Ki long ruh kiba phikir bha, khnang ba ki Khla shynrang kin nym ioh ban bam ia ki khun shynrang jong ki. Namar ki Khla shynrang ki long kum ki Miaw-wa bad lada ki ioh lad, ki pyniap ia ki khun Khla shynrang bad bam ia ki.

Ki Khla Met ki im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki Mrad kum ki Sier, ki Skei, Ki Mynthna, ki Bthong, Ki Khiat, ki Sniang khlaw, ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad khlaw. Ki long ruh ki jaid Khla kiba bang bha ban bam ia ki Dohkha. Ki ju kem ia ki Dohkha ha ka jaka ba jyndong ka wah bad bam ia ki. Ki Khla Met ki long ki jaid Khla kiba don mynta ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid bad ha ka por mynta la kham niar ban lap ia ki.

### 11.3 Ki 'Labasa

Ki dei ki jaid Khla ba ki khot ha ka ktien Jaintia ki Khla Chitang (Kynnoh Shitang). Ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 5 Pruh tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi pruh tam. Haba ki ieng na ka slajat ba shakmat jong ki haduh ka tyrpeng, ki jrong shi pruh tam. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bad lam pyllun. Ki shkor jong ki, ki ieng kumba ieng ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh. Narud ka shyntur ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jwat, ba eh, ba lieh ka rong bad ba long bih. Ki bniat jong ki pat ki long kiba jrong, ba heh, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki tyrpeng bad ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ bor bad da ka ksangkti ba khlañ bad tyrsim ba nep ki lah ban bat wat ña u Masi Kyrting bad ñalam ña u shapoh khlaw bad ki sa dait pynñap bad bam ña ka doh jong u.

Ña ka met jong ki 'Labasa la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba thoh pan da ka rong stem bad ba iong ha ki bynta jong ki krung, nalor ka met bad ki jaka ba lait la sop da u shñiuh ba da ka rong ba saw lam byrtem. Napoh ka met kaba kynthup ña u kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrlied ka rong. Ki shongkha kumba shongkha ki Miaw. Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot, kaba tang 120 sngi ei ei ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por lyur bad ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thlied ba don hapoh ka khyndew. Ki ri khun ruh tang hapoh shisnem tam bad ynda ki la pun khun biang ki iehnoh ña ki, ba kin im bad ñaid la ka lynti.

Ki 'Labasa ki im da kaba bam ña ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad kum ki Skei, ki Bthong, ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw, ki Sniang khlaw bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad. Hynrei namarba kine ki jaid Khla ki pynjlor bha ña ki jingri jingdup jong u khun bynrlew, kum ña ki Masi, ki Blang bad ki Sniang, kumta, ha ki por ba mynshwa ka don ka jingpynñap bajur jong ki briew ña kine ki jaid Khla bad mynta ki la jan duh jaid.

### 11.4 Ki Khla Sabrat.

Ki long ki jaid Khla ña kiba la tip ruh kum ki Khla Bthuh. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ña ki kum ki Khla-Bam-Masi lane ki Khla Wyrthoh Snieh Thlen Lum (Thlen Lum, U 'Len Lum lane U Python). Ki Biate ki khot ña ki ki Kei-ar-si. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki ki Matcha Majangchi lane Matcha Bolga. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Clouded Leopards*.

Ki Khla Sabrat haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 5½ phut bad 6 phut, kata naduh ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba jwat bad ba lieh ka rong. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba jrong, ba eh, ba tylli, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. ña ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba long lam bthuh saw jngum, ba byrtem iong bad ba don jingthoh syriem kumba thoh ka snieh jong u 'Len lum (*Python*) ha baroh kawei ka met jong ki. ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, kaba kynthup ruh ña ka kpoh jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem uba long lam byrlied stem ka rong. Ha ka khmat jong ki don ka jingthoh ba long ter ter da ka rong iong, ha ki jaka kiba lait pat don ka jingthoh ba da ka rong byrtem bad don ruh ka jingthoh ba da ka rong lieh. Halor ka khlieh jong ki, don ki jingthoh kiba rit kiba da ka rong iong. ña ka bynta ba na trai u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba thoh stem, iong bad ba byrlied, ña ka bynta ba sah jong u tdong

kaba long kumba lai pawa haduh ban da poi ka kliar u tdong pat, la sop da u shfiuh ba don jingthoh pyllun pyllun kiba ia shong mar syndah ba da ka rong iöng, rong stem bad don ruh ka jingthoh ba da ka rong byrlieh.

Ki Khla Sabrat ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang lai bnai ne saw bnai ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun ruh iwei ne ar tylli. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw kiba heh bha, kiba don ha trai ki diengbah diengsan, bad ha ki thliw ba don napoh khyndew. Ka por ri khun jong ki ruh, ka long hapoh shi snem. Ynda ki la pun khun biang, ki iehnoh ia la ki khun ba kin im bad iaid la ka jong ka lynti.

Ki Khla Sabrat ki sngewtynnad ban dem kai ne thiah sngi halor ki tnad jong ki dieng kiba heh. Ki ju apthap ruh ia ki mrad nador dieng. Haba don ki mrad ba iaid napoh ki dieng ba ki dem, ki ryngkoh pum nador dieng halor ka met jong kata ka mrad, bad ki dait pyniäp ia ka na ryngdang bad bam ia ka doh jong ka. Ka por ba ki leit beh mrad ka dei mynmiet. Ki jubam ia ki Skei, ki Sniang khlaw bad ia kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad khlaw. Hynrei ki long ruh ki jaid Khla kiba bang bha ban bam ia ki Masi Lyngraw, kata ia ki Masi shynrang ba dangkhie dangsan, ia ki Masi lud bad ia ki khun Masi. La khot ia ki, ki Khla-Bam-Masi ha ka ktien Jaintia namar, ki ju mlien bha ban apthap ha ka por janmiet ia ki Masi, sha ki jaka ba ki nongsharat masi ki ju leit ban beh masi sha lum, kiba don harud ki khlaw ki btap. Kine ki jaid Khla ki long ki bym da roi bad mynta ki la duna bha, bad la kham niar ban lap ia ki. Namarkata, lynda don ka jingialeh na ka liang ka Sorkar lem bad ka jingiatrei lang ki bor shnong lem bad ki paidbah, te ym slem shuh kin sa duh jaid.

“Ka *Zoological Park* jong ka Itanagar (ka nongbah jong ka jylla Arunachal Pradesh) ka la iöh shi jur ki Khla Krung (*Panthers*) ha ka sngi *Thursday* na ka *Padmaja Naidu Himalaya Zoological Park*, Darjeeling, ha kaba ia bujli ia uwei u Khla Sabrat shynrang lem bad ar tylli ki Dngiem”.

“Ki Khla *Panthers*, ia kiba la tip ruh kum ki *Common Leopards* ne ki Krung, la iöh pdiang ia ki kat kum ka programme iabujli, hapdeng kine ki ar tylli ki Zoo, hadien ba la ai jingbit ka *Central Zoo Authority*”.

“U *Deputy Chief Wildlife Warden*, u Bah C. Loma u la iathuh, ba ki long ki mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid bad ki long kiba im halor ki dieng bad kiba leit wad jingbam mynmiet. Ki shong ki sah bunsien ha ki khlaw kiba rben, ia kiba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng “*Dense Sub-Himalaya Tropical Forests*” bad ha India la lap ia ki ha Arunachal Pradesh bad ha ki katto katne ki bynta jong ka Assam”. (Na une u Nongthoh, hynrei la lap ruh ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya namar ka Meghalaya ha ki por mynshwa ka don hapoh Assam).

“Na ki 180 tylli ki Zoo ba la ithuh da ka Sorkar ha ri India, tang 6 tylli na ki, ki don khadwei tylli ki Khla Sabrat (*Clouded Leopards*)” la ong u Bah Loma.

“Ki *records* ba don ha ki zoo ki pyni ba na ki khadwei tylli ki Khla Sabrat, 10 tylli ki dei ki Khla shynrang bad kawei ka Khla Kynthei. Kane ka pyni shai kdar, ba ka jingdon ki shynrang bad ki kynthei ka long ba bym ia biang ne ka jinglah shiliang kaba ma bha”.

“Ka Khla Sabrat kynthei ba tang marwei ha India, ia kaba la ri hapoh ka *Assam State Zoo*, Guwahati, ka long kaba la tymmen bha bad ym don lad ban pynkha roi ia kine ki jaid Khla, ha ki jaka ri mrad hapoh ka Ri baroh kawei”.

“Nalor kata, hapoh khlaw ruh kane ka jingdon ki shynrang – kynthei ka la noh shilliang sha ka liang ki shynrang ka long kaba jur, kiba don ka jingbudnam ha kaba pynīap īa ki kynthei. Kumta ym don jinglyngngoh ba ki Khla Sabrat ki la nangduna kham kloī”, la ong u Bah Loma.

U la ong, “Ba ka *Darjeeling Zoo Authority* kan sa īoh īa ka Khla Sabrat kynthei na *Khatmandu Zoo* bad ki la thmu ban sdang noh īa ka programme pynroi hapoh kaba set (*captive-breeding programme*)” shen hadien ba kin lah ban pynlong shijur īa ki mrad ba ki la rah na Itanagar”.

“U Bah Loma u la īathuh ba tang shu kha khun Khla Sabrat hapoh ka *Darjeeling Zoo*, īa i khun Khla kynthei yn sa wan rah sha *Itanagar Zoo* ban sdang īa ka juh ka programme pynroi haba set (*captive - breeding programme*), khnang ban pynbun biang īa kine ki mrad”.

“Ar tylli ki Khla Sabrat shynrang ba īapher ka rta la nang ri īa ki hapoh kane ka *Zoo* bad kymmen skhem ba kin sa īoh paralok kynthei”, la ong u Bah Loma.

īa kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor, *The Shillong Times*, kaba la mih ha ka 24.11.2001 halor ka heading, “*Animal Exchange Programme held*”, ha ka sla 5.

## 11.5 Ki Khla Ūong.

Ki dei ki jaid Khla ba ki Jaintra ki khot ki Khla Waŋong. Kī Garo kī khot īa ki kī Matcha Gisim bad kī *Black Panthers* ha ka ktien Phareng. Kīne kī jaid Khla kī long kiba duna bha. Kī shkor jong kī, kī long kiba ūeng kum kī shkor Miaw. Kī khmat jong kī, kī long kiba heh, ba pyllun, ba stem bad phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong kī ka long kaba heh bad narud kī shyntur mih kī tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat bad ba lam byrŋong ka rong. Kī bniat jong kī kī long kiba jrong, ba heh, ba eh bad ba nep har har. Kī tyrpeng bad kī kjat jong kī, kī long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ bor bha. Kī tyrsim jong kī, kī long kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. īa ka met jong kī baroh shryñieng kaba kynthup īa u tdong ruh la sop īa ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba ūong tlem phymai ka rong.

U Bah J. Dutta, uba ju long u *D.F.O. Wildlife Division, Jaintia Hills, Jowai* u la īathuh ha unc u Nongthoh ba ki Khla Ūong ki dei ki Khla Krung hynrei, u shñiuh jong kī u ūong phymai ka rong namar ba don ka “*Black pigment*” ne ka “*Melanin*” kaba kī khot ha ka ktien Phareng ha ka met bad u shñiuh jong kī. Kumta ka rong jong u shñiuh jong kī ha baroh shryñieng ka met jong kī ka long kaba ūong tlem phymai. Ha kī snem ba mynshwa la ju buh bad pyni rong īa uwei u Khla Ūong hapoh ka *Mini-Zoo* kaba don ha *Lady Hydari Park, Shillong*. Hynrei, sngewsih ban īathuh ba kham hadien uta u Khla Ūong u la īap noh hadien ba u la kem pang.

Ki Khla Ūong ki shongkha kumba ūashongkha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong kī ruh ka long kaba lyngkot kaba tang lai bnai tam bad haba la biang ka por kī ju kha khun ar ne lai tylli shisien kha. Kī ju kha khun ha kī thliew ba don ha trai kī diengbah ne ha kī thliew ba don hapoh khyndew. Kī ju kha khun ruh ha ka por Lyiur. Kī ri khun haduh shi snem bad ynda kī la pun khun biang kī iehnoh īa la kī khun ba kin im bad īaid la ka lynti.

Ki Khla Ūong kī long kiba khlañ bad ka met ka phad ruh kaba tylli bha. Kī ksangti ksangjat bad kī tyrpeng jong kī, kī long kiba khlañ bor bha. Kīne kī jaid khla ruh kī long kiba sngewtynnad bha ban dem kai mynsngi halor kī tnad dieng kiba heh bad kī ju ap thap īa kī mrad nalor dieng. Lada don ka mrad kaba īaid napoh jong ka tnad dieng ba kī dem, kī ryngkoh pum halor ka met jong kata ka

mrاد bad dait pynlap fa ka na u pdot bad ki bam ruh fa ka doh jong kata ka mrاد. Kine ki jaid Khla ki bam bha fa ki Sniang khlaw, Ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw bad fa kiwei kiwei de ki jaid mrاد.

Ki Khla long ki long ki jaid Khla ki bym da roi bad ki la duna bha mynta, kumta la kham niar ban lap fa ki. Ki long ruh ki jaid Khla kiba don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid. La lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei de ki Jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri ba don hapoh Asia bad Africa.

## 11.6 Ki Krung.

Ki dei ki jaid mrاد ba ki khot ha ka ktien Jaintia ki Khla Krung. Ki Biate ki khot fa ki ki Bungkukui, ki Matcha Peng ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Leopards* ha ka ktien Phareng. Ka jingrong ka met jong kine ki jaid Khla ka long hapdeng 5 phut bad 6 phut tam. Ki Krung kynthei ki kham lyngkot fa ki Krung shynrang. Haba ki ieng na ka sla kjat ba shakhmat jong ki haduh ka tyrpeng, ki jrong shi phut tam. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bha bad lam pyllun. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba pyllun bad kiba thaba phymai bha haba tbeh da ka *Torchlight* ne da ki *Headlight* jong ki Kali ha ka por janmiet. Ha ka por sngi ruh lada phi ioh peit hajan ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba phymai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh. Narud ka shyntur, mih ki tmaiñ kiba jwat, ba eh bad ba long bih. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki tyrsim jong ki ruh ki long kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki lah ban buhrieh fa la ki tyrsim, kumba ki Miauw ki lah ban buhrieh fa la ki jong ki tyrsim shapoh ka snieh jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki.

Fa ka met jong ki Krung la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba thoh pyllun pyllun da ka rong ieng, hapdeng bad narud jong kine ki jingthoh ba long pyllun pyllun ki long da ka rong lam saw byrtem halor ka met jong ki. Napoh ka met kaba kynthup fa ka kpoh bad fa ki hynta ba napoh ki kjat, narud bad napdeng jong kine ki jingthoh ba long pyllun pyllun don u shñiuh ba long lam byrlich stem ka rong. Ha u tdong jong ki ruh don ka jingthoh rong ha ka juh ka rukom. U Bah S.B. Dohkrut, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba don ki jaid Krung ba don ka jingthoh dur ba long kum u syntiew halor ka met jong ki bad kine ki long kiba kham heh, kham niar bad kham khlañ ban fa kiwei pat ki jaid Krung. U la iathuh ruh ba ka jingthoh ba long lam pyllun pyllun halor ka met jong ki Krung, ka don ka jingapher malu mala na uwei u Krung sha uwei pat.

Ki Krung ki long ki jaid Khla kiba lah ban im ha kiba bun jaid ki jaka, ha ki khlaw ki btap bad ha ki khlaw rit kiba don harud shnong. Ki im da kaba bam fa kiwei pat ki Mrاد kum ki Skei, ki Sniang khlaw, ki Bthong, ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw, Ki Syiar khlaw bad kiba kum kita ki jaid Mrاد. Hynrei, kito kiba shong ba sah ha ki khlaw ki btap kiba don harud shnong, ki long kiba smat bha ban leit rong fa ki Ksew, Ki Sniang, Ki Blang, ki Khun Masi bad wat fa ki Syiar ruh. Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang khynnah, u Woh Riangmon Laloo (Bam kwai ha dwar U Blei), uba la ju shong ju sah ha Riatnohmiauw, Jowai, u la ioh fa uwei u Krung da kaba riam fa u da u Star ba la teh khyrwoh pyllun ban ngiam kat ka khlieh u Krung, ha ka jingkhong ban rung sha ka sem Syiar ba don hapoh ka khrum iing jong u. Uta u Krung u la ngat ha ka jingriam ha ka por janmiet kumba 6 baje ei ei bad namar ba dei ka por Tlang kumta ka la dum bha. Ynda uta u Krung u la ngat ha ka jingriam, ki la siat lap fa u da ka Suloi. Ka lah ban long ba uta u Krung ha kato ka por, u la shong la sah hapoh ka khlaw Khapmujot kaba don ha ka jaka ka bym da jngai na ka jaka ba u la ngat. Namar, ha ka por khynnah jong ngi ki ju iathuh ba ki Krung ki ju sah hapoh ki khlaw Khapmujot.

Ki Krung, wat la ki long ki jaid Khla kiba shu pdeng ka jingheh, hynrei, ki long pat kiba khlañ bor bha. Ki lah ban rah, wat fa ka Skei ba ki la pynlap, shalor dieng, da kaba dait na ryndang

jong ki Skei bad kiew dieng artat. Ki ju buh ĩa ka met jong ka Skei ne kiwei pat ki mrad halor jong ki tnad dieng bad ki sa bam ĩa ka doh jong ki, ha kano kano ka por ba ki thngan ne ki sngew kwah ban bam. Unc u Nongthoh u la ĩohi bunsien ba ki Krung ki ju rah ĩa ka met ki Skei shalor dieng, ha ka *Discovery Channel* bad ha ka *National Geographic Chunnel* lyngba ka *Television*. Ki leh kumne khnang ba ĩa ka mrad ba ki la ĩoh kan lait ban shah knieh na kiwei pat ki mrad ba kham khlaif bor ban ĩa ki. Ki Krung ki long kiba tbit ban kiew dieng bad ban jngi ruh.

Ka jingpah ne jingkyrhuh jong ki Krung ka long kaba sawa jam bha Khur-Khur-Khur. Ka jingpah jong ki ka kham jur bha ha ka por ba ki ĩashongkha. Ki ĩashongkha ruh kumba ĩashongkha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh lai bnai tam bad ynda biang ka por ki ju kha khun hapdeng ar bad saw tylli. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por Lyur. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw kiba biang ba kin sah bad hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka Khyndew. Ki ri khun hapdeng shi snem bad ar snem duna. Ynda ka Krung ka la pun khun biang ka ĩehnoh ĩa la ki khun ba kin im bad ĩaid la ka lynti.

Kumba 40 snem tam mynshwa, ki Krung ki jyller bha ha kylleng ka ri Khasi bad Jaintia bad ha ki Lum Garo ruh. Hynrei, namar ba ki pynjolor than ĩa ki jingri jngdup jong u khun bynriew, kumta ki shah pynap jur bha ha ki briew. Ym tang katta, hynrei, namar ba ki snieh jong ki Krung ki long kiba itynnad bha, kumta ki nong Arab ki thied rem dor bha ĩa ki, khnang ba kin dup ĩoh ban buh rong bad ban pynitynnad ha la ki ĩing ki sem. Nalor kata, ha kine ki khyndiat snem ka la don ka jingdawa kaba jur bha ĩa ki Shyieng ki Shruh jong ki jaid Khla baroh da ki nong China, Korea bad Japan, khnang ba kin dup ĩoh ban shna ĩa ki dawai ki dashin ba bun jaid, namar, kumba long mynta, tang napoh Ri China, Korea bad Japan kim lah pyndap shyieng Khla shuh ba kin shna dawai. Namarkata ki nong China bad Japan ki thied rem dor bha ĩa ki Shyieng Khla. Kumta bun ki briew ki leit ban siat klep ĩa ki Krung kat sha ba ki don khnang ba kin ĩoh ban die rem dor ĩa ki snieh jong ki sha ki nong Arab bad ĩa ki shyieng jong ki pat sha ki nong China, Korea bad Japan lyngba kito ki briew kiba khaif tuh ĩa kine ki mar.

Kumba long mynta, ki Krung ki la duna bha bad ki don ha ka jingma kaba khraw, ba ki lah ban duhjaid noh na sla kane ka pyrthet. Namarkata, ka Sorkar lyngba ka jingiatrei lang jong ka *Forest Department* bad ka *Animal Husbandary and Veterinary Department*, ka la dei ban seng noh kham klo ĩa ka tnad treikam ha thymmai ĩa kaba yn khot “*Breeding In Captivity Wing*” khnang ban lah ban pynkha roi biang ĩa ki Krung bad ĩa kiwei kiwei pat ki Mrad kiba la don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid. Da kaba leh kumne ka Sorkar ka lah wat ban ĩohnong kaba khraw bha. Ynda la bun biang ki Krung, ka lah ban pynap noh ĩa kito kiba kam donkam ban buh bad sa shalan ĩa ka Snieh jong ki sha ki ri Arab bad ĩa ki Shyieng jong ki sha ri China, Korea bad Japan. ĩa ka doh jong ki pat lah ban die ĩa ka sha kito ki briew jong ngi kiba bam doh Khla. Ka doh Khla ka long kaba jem bad ba bang ban bam.

ĩa ki Krung, la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka pyrthet wat sha ka jaka ba don u thah bad ka ĩor ruh. ĩa ki Krung kiba im ha ki jaka ba don u thah bad ka ĩor la khot ĩa ki, ki *Snow Leopards* ha ka ktien Phareng. Ki long kiba itynnad bha ka rong bad ki ĩapher ruh ha ka rukom thoh ha ka met jong ki na kito kiba don ha kiwei pat ki jaka. Ki *Snow Leopards* ki long ki jaid mrad ki bym don hapoh ki khlaw ki btap jong ka jylla Meghalaya. La thoh khnang ĩa kane ban tip ki bym pat tip.

## 11.7 Ki ‘La Blang.

Ki dei ki jaid Khla kiba rit, ĩa kiba ki Jaintia ki khot ki Khla Chutia (kynnoh shutia), Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki Rutnu, ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki ki Matcha Khabakgipok lane Mengo Rimet bad ki *Golden*



*Cats* pat ha ka ktien Phareng. Ka jingrong jong ka met jong ki naduh ka khlieh haduh ka kliar jong u tdong ka long saw phut tam. Tang u tdong u jrong 1½ phut, ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bad ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ñeng kumba ñeng ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh bad narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba long bih bad ba lieh ka rong. Ki bñiat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaññ, ba heh bad kiba nep har har. Ki tyrteng bad ki ksangkñi ksangjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaññ bor. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaññ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ña la ki tyrsim hapoh ka sniehdoh jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki.

Ña ka met jong ki 'La Blang la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba long rong lam byrtem bñuh bad ba saw phyrnai. Napdeng ka met don u shñiuh ba ñong ka rong. Ka khmat jong ki, ka long kaba da ka rong ñong. Ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met, kaba kynthup ña ka kpoh, la sop da u shñiuh ba jem bad ba long lam byrliet stem ka rong.

Ki 'La Blang ki ñashongkha kumba shongkha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bha kaba tang hapoh 3 bñai ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun ha u bñai ñañong bad ki ju kha ar tylli shisien kha bad teng teng ki ju kha haduh lai tylli shisien kha. Ki ju kha ruh ha ki thliet da don ha ki diengbah ne ha trai jong ki diengbah ba don bad ki thliet, ha ki thliet ba don hapoh khyndew ba la ker sawdong da ki phlang kiba jrong bad ha ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki ri khun ruh tang hapoh shisnem tam bad ynda ki la punkhun biang ki iehnoh ña la ki khun ba kin im bad ñaid ha la ka lynti.

Ki 'La Blang ki long ki jaid Khla kiba khlaññ katkum ka jingheh ka met jong ki. Kham bunsien ki ju pyniup ña ki mrad da kaba dait na u pdot ne u tangkro jong ki. Ki im da kaba ham ña ki mrad rit kum ña ki Sket, ki khun Masti, ki Rabbit, ki Blang, ki Sniang, ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw, ki Khnai ba bun jaid, ki Sim, kum ki Syiar khlaw, ki Nirai ne ki 'lar Tung, Ki Tyut, ki 'lar Khlar bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad. Ki long ruh ki jaid Khla ba lah ban kiew dieng bad ba tbit ban jngi.

La lap ba ki 'La Blang ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki Ri ba don hapoh Asta.

## 11.8 Ki Khla–Lieh–Khlieh.

U Bah L.Ch. Momin, uba ju long u *District Public Relation Officer* jong ka East Garo Hills, u la ñathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba ha Garo Hills don ki jaid Khla kiba lieh khlieh, ña kiba ki Garo ki khot Matcha Mikingipok. Ki long ki jaid Khla kiba shu biang ka jingheh. Ña ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba don jingthoh da ka rong saw lam byrtem, bad da ka rong lam byrliet bad ba ñong. Ña ka khlieh jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh sada bad dei na kane ka daw ba ki khot ña ki, ki Khla-Lieh-Khlieh. Hynrei ki long ki jaid Khla ki bym da roi bad ym bun ki briew ba la ñohi ña ki. Ki ñashongkha kumba ñashongkha ki Miaw. Hynrei ym ñoh jingtip la ka por punkhun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot kumba long kiwei ki jaid Khla ne em, ki kha khun katto tylli, ki kha khun ha kaba kumno, ka jakabad ka slem katno ba ki ri khun. Ki Khla-Lieh-Khlieh kim don ha ri Khasi bad Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don tang ha Garo Hills. La jer Kyrteñ ña ki, ki Khla-Lieh-Khlieh na ka jingmut ba la ñoh na ka kyrteñ jong ki hi kaba ha ka ktien Garo, "Matcha" – ka mut u Khla bad ka ktien "Mikingipok" – pat ka mut ba lieh khlieh.

## 11.9 Ki 'La Kyrha.

Ki dei ki jaid Khla ba ki Jaintia ki khot ki Khla-Kyndang-ngew-ngew bad ki long ruh ki jaid Khla kiba rit, hynrei, ki kham heh fa ka Miaw, ka khlieh jong ki ka kham heh khyndiat fa ka khlieh Miaw bad ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kumba ieng ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki Khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka kham heh khyndiat fa ka shyntur ka Miaw. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ, kiba eh, ba jwat bad ba da ka rong lieh. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong, ba eh bad ba khlañ. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har.

fa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad ba thoh da ka rong ieng, ba saw bad ba lam byrlieh stem kaba itynnad bha. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kum u tdong Miaw bad la sop fa u da u shñiuh ba jem bad ba lyngkot ba da ka rong byrsaw lieh ba don jingthoh da ka rong ieng bad ba stem malu mala. Ka jingpah jong ki 'La Kyrha, kumba long ka kyrteng jong ki ka long kaba sawa jam bha kaba long ngor-ngor-ngor bad dei ruh ba na ka jingfaipah ba bunsien jong ki bad ba ka sawa jam, kumta ki sa ai kyrteng fa ki, ki 'La Kyrha. Ha ka por kumba laiphew snem tam mynshwa kine ki jaid Khla ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya bad ki kham bun sha ka thaiñ Nongkhlieh, Sutnga bad sha Khadar Shnong. Hynrei mynta kine ki jaid Khla ruh ki la duna bha bad la kham fiar ban lap fa ki.

Ki 'La Kyrha ki iashongkha kumba shongkha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh 60 sngi tam ki la kha khun. Ki kha khun ruh hapoh jong ki thliw ba don ha trai ki dieng bah ne hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew ba la ker da ki phlang ba jrong fa kata ka thliw. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ynda ki khun ki la kham san bad ki la kham khlañ bha, ka 'La kyrha ka ju ialam fa ki ha ka por ba ka leit wad jingbam. Ynda ki la dap shisnem tam ne ar snem duna bad haba ka kmie jong ki ka la pun khun biang ka iehnoh fa la ki khun ban im bad iaid la ka lynti. Ki im da kaba bam fa ki mrad kiba rit kum fa ki Khnai, ki Rabbit, ki Dkhan, ki Risang, ki khun Sniang, ki 'lar khlaw, ki 'lar tung, ki 'lar khar bad iakiba kum kita ki jait mrad.

## 11.10 Ki Phlat – Shaw.

Kine ruh ki dei ki Khla kiba rit tangba ki kham heh khyndiat fa ka Miaw. Ka khlieh jong ki ka kham heh fa ka khlieh Miaw. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kumba ieng ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka kham heh khyndiat fa ka shyntur jong ka Miaw bad ki bñiat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ ba eh, ba jwat bad ba lieh ka rong. Ki kjat jong ki, ki kham jrong fa ki kjat jong ki Miaw. Katba u tdong jong ki pat u kham lyngkot.

fa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot bad da u shñiuh ba long lam byrtem saw bad ba don jingthoh ruh da u shñiuh ba long rong ieng. fa ka bynta ba shapoh ka met bad ka kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrlieh stem. fa u tdong jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba don jingthoh da ka rong stem, ba ieng bad ba lam byrlieh.

Ki iashongkha kumba shongkha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam ki la kha khun. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad saw tylli. Ki ju kha khun ha trai jong ki dieng ba don thliw bad ha ki thliw ba don hapoh ka khyndew ba la ker

sawdong da ki phlang ba jrong. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh shisnem tam. Haba ki khun ki la san, ka Kmie jong ki ka iehnoh ia kiban im bad ia id la ka lynti. Ki im da kaba bam ia ki mrad khlaw kiba rit, kum ia ki khnai ba bun jait, ki Dkhan, ki khun Sniang khlaw, ki Rabbit, ki Risang bad kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ia ki Sim ba im halor khyndew kum ia ki 'lar khlaw, ki 'lar tung ki 'lar Khiar, ki Tyut bad kiba kum kita. Lada ki ioh ia ki sim ba im halor dieng ruh ki bam ia ki. Ki long ruh ki jaid khla ba lah ban kiew dieng bad ki lah ruh ban jngi. Kine ki jaid Khla ruh ki la duna bha mynta bad ki don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid.

### 11.11 Ki 'La – Thap – Sim.

Ki dei ki jaid Khla ba ki Jaintia ki khot ki Khla-Thap-Sim. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Sangar. Ha ka ktien Garo la khot ia ki, ki Bijare lane Mengoo Apru bad ki *Leopards Cats* ha ka ktien Phareng. Kine ruh ki long ki jaid Khla kiba rit hi. Ki 'La-Thap-Sim ki don ar jaid bad baroh ar jaid ki heh kat ka Miaw ba ri ki briew ha ying hynrei, ki kjat jong ki, ki kham jrong ban ia ki kjat Miaw. Ka rong ka rup jong ki ka la syriem bha bad ki Khla Krung bad dei namar kane ka daw ba ki Phareng ki khot ia ki, ki *Leopard Cats* kaba mut ki Miaw Krung.

Ka khlieh jong ki ka heh kat ka khlieh Miaw hi. Ki shkor jong ki, ki ieng kumba ieng ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khla. Ki khmat jong ki, ki heh kat ki khmat Miaw bad ki long kiba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ka shyntur jong ki ka heh kat ka shyntur Miaw. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat bad ba da ka rong lieh. Ki bniat jong ki ruh ki long kum ki bniat Miaw bad ki long kiba khlañ, ba eh bad ba nep har har. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba kham jrong khyndiat ia ki tyrsim Miaw bad ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ia la ki tyrsim kumba ki Miaw ki lah ban buhrieh ia la ki tyrsim hapoh ka snieh jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki.

Shijaid ki 'La-Thap-Sim, ia ki met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot, ba phymai bad ba don ki jingthoh ba lam pyllun pyllun kiba rit ba da ka rong ieng. Ha ki jaka ba lait pat la sop da u shñiuh ba long rong lam byrtem nalar ka met. Napoh ka met bad ka kpoh, la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrlich stem ka rong. Halor ka khlieh bad nalar ryndang jong ki, don ki jingpruid dak ba long kum u laiñ kumba saw ne san tylli, ba da ka rong ieng. Napoh ryndang pat ka long daka rong ba lam byrlich. Ia u tdong jong ki uba jrong kum u tdong Miaw la sop da u shñiuh ba don jingthoh ba long lam pyllun pyllun kiba rit kiba da ka rong ieng bad ha ki jaka bym don jingthoh ieng la sop da u shñiuh ba longrong stem bad da u shñiuh ba long lam byrlich stem bad don ruh ka jingthoh ba da u shñiuh ba long lam byrsaw ka rong khyndiat.

Don pat ki jaid 'La-Thap-Sim, kiba ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba lyngkot, ba phymai bad ba don jingpruid dak ba kum ki laiñ narud ka khmat, nalar ka met, najan ryndang bad na ki tyrpeng ba da ka rong ieng, ha ki kjat, ka lbong bad ia u tdong jong ki don ki jingthoh dak ba long lam pyllun pyllun kiba rit ba da ka rong ieng hi. Ia ki bynta ha baroh kawei ka met ka phad jong ki, ki bym don jingthoh da ka rong ieng la sop da u shñiuh uba stem bad lam byrsaw malu mala. Ia ka bynta ba napoh u tdong, napoh ka met bad ka kpoh pat la sop da u shñiuh ba long rong lam byrlich stem.

Ki 'La-Thap-Sim ki long ki jaid Khla kiba im, ba ia id bad leit wad jingbam marwei. Dei tang ha ka por shongkha ba ju iohi ba ki iaiaid shijur. Ki iapoikha ruh kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Mar iadep shongkha, u 'La-Thap-Sim shynrang u ia id noh la ka jong ka lynti bad um don ruh ka jingkitkhlieh ha kaba bsa bam ia ka Kynthei ha ka por ba ka punkhun ne wat ban bsa khun haba dang rit ki khun. Ka

por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, tang hapoh ar bnai tam ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw jong ki dieng. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad lai tylli. Ka 'La-Thap-Sim ka hap ban bsa bam falade bad ia la ki khun ruh. Ki khun ynda ki la dap shisnem ki la lah ban im marwei bad ki laid noh la ka jong ka lynti.

Ki 'La-Thap-Sim ki long ki jaid Khla kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng bad ki lah ban kiew wat sha ki tnad dieng kiba kham rit ruh bad ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi. Mynsngi, ki thiah ha khap jong ki dieng ne hapoh jong ki thliw dieng. Mar ia kem fongreñ ki mih ban leit wad jingbam, ki bam ia ki mrad kiba rit kum ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid, lait noh ka 'Naitynjit namar, ba ka sma, ia ki Rabbit, ki Risang, ki Syllih, ki Lamadur, ki Lyngkhiang, ki Lymbit, ki khun Snrang, ki khun Skei, ia ki Bseñ bad ki bam bha ia ki Sim ba bun jaid. Ki ju apthap ia ki Sim ba im halor khyndew bad ia kiba im halor dieng ruh bad dei namar kane ka daw ba la jer kyrteng ia ki, ki 'La-Thap-Sim.

Ia ki 'La-Thap-Sim la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka Jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka Ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki Ri. Kumba laiphew snem tam mynshwa ki don bun ha kylleng ki jaka hynrei, mynta te ki la kham duna bha bad ki lah ruh ban duh jaid lymda da don ka jingiatrei lang na ka liang ka bor Sorkar, ka bor shnong bad ki paidbah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki.

## 11.12 Ki Miaw Khlaw.

Ki dei ki jaid Miaw ba ki Jaintia ki khot ki Miaw Khloo, ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Nganbuang, ki Hapa lane Menggo ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Jungle Cats* ha ka ktien Phareng. Ki Miaw khlaw ki don bun jaid; ki don kiba lyngkot tdong bad don ruh kiba jrong tdong, kumba long ki Miaw ba ri ha iing, ki don kiba kham heh khyndiat ia ki Miaw bad don ruh kiba heh kat ki Miaw hi. Hynrei, ki kjat jong ki Miaw khlaw ki kham jrong ia ki kjat jong ki Miaw iing. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlil bad ba lyngkot. Ki don kiba lam byrtong bthuh ka rong, don pat kiba long lam byrtem bthuh ka rong bad don jingthoh dak da ka rong iong; ki don ruh kiba long rong Dpei. U Bah Head Pohlong, uba na ka Shnong Amkoi, tangba u la shong la sah mynta ha ka Shnong Nongbareh, bad uba long ruh u Nongkhem bad sumar ba pawnam ia ki brierw kiba kheñ shyieng, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba hapoh ka 'Law Lyngdoh Nongbareh, don ar jaid ki Miaw khlaw. Shi jaid ki long kiba iong tlem ka met baroh shiryñeng bad shi jaid pat ki long kiba lieh baroh shiryñeng ka met jong ki.

Ki Miaw khlaw ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng bad ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi, ka khlieh jong ki ka heh kat ka khlieh Miaw hi bad ki shkor jong ki, ki ieng kumba ieng ki Shkor ki Miaw iing. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka heh kat ka shyntur ki Miaw iing hi. Narud ka shyntur, mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat bad ba lieh ka rong. Ha ki Miaw khlaw kiba iong ka rong pat, ki mih ki tmaiñ ruh kiba iong. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kum ki bniat jong ka Miaw iing hi. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ia la ki tyrsim kumba ki Miaw iing ki lah ban buhrieh ia la ki tyrsim hapoh ka snieh jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki.

Ki Miaw khlaw ki iashongkha kumba iashongkha ki Miaw iing. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot, kata tang hapoh 3 bnai ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun hapdeng saw haduh hynriew tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit bha bad ki bym lah ban peit khmat kumba long ki khun jong ki Miaw iing. Hynrei hadien katto katne bnai ki la long kiba khlañ bad ki long kiba jur bha ka jingialehkai hapdeng jong ki. Ki ju kha khun ha ki thliw jong ki dieng. Ha ka por ri khun ki Miaw khlaw kynthei ki long kiba phikir bha, khnang ba ki khun shynrang jong ki, kin lait na ka jingshah pynñap bad shah bam ha ki Miaw khlaw shynrang, khamtam ha kito ki Miaw ba la kylla Miaw-Wa.

Ki Miaw khlaw ki im da kaba bam ña kiwei pat ki mrad khlaw kiba kham rit kum ña ki Khnai, ki Dkhan, ki Rabbit, ki Risang, ki Syllih, ki Lamadur, ki Lyngkhiang, ki Lymbit bad ña kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad. Ki bam ruh ña ki Sim kiba im halor Khyndew bad ña ki Sim ba im halor dieng ruh. ña ki Miaw khlaw la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka Ri India bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki Ri. Mynta ki Miaw khlaw ruh kim da bun shuh kumba long ha ki por ba mynshwa. Kumta donkam ña ka jingñatreilang jong ki nongshongshnong baroh khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ña ki.

### 11.13 Ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Miaw Khloo wa bam dohkha. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki, ki Saram. Ha ka ktien phareng pat la tip ña ki kum ki *Fishing Cats*.

Ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 3 phut tam khyndiat. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ñasyriem ña ka khlieh Khla. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ñeng kum ki shkor Miaw, ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba phymai bha syriem kum ki khmat Miaw. Ka shyntur jong ki ka ñasyriem kum ka shyntur Khla. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih katto katne ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba lieh ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki long ruh ki jaid Miaw khlaw kiba khlaiñ ka met ka phad. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba lyngkot, ba sngaid, ba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkijat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkijat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki lah ban buhrieh ña ki tyrsim jong ki, hapoh ka snieh ba sop ña ki shympriahkijat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw kiba ngi ri ha ki ñing ki sem jong ngi ruh, ki lah ban buhrieh ña la ki tyrsim, ha ki snieh jong ki shympriahkijat jong ki. Ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki, don ka kynja snieh ba stang ba mih ha khap ki shympriahkijat jong ki, kaba pynñasoh ña ki shympriahkijat jong ki. Katba ha ki shympriahkijat ba shadien jong ki pat, ym don kane ka kynja snieh ba pynñasoh ña ki shympriahkijat jong ki.

Ña ka met jong ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba rben, bad ba long lam byrtem ka rong bad don ruh ki jingthoh dak ñong ba rit. Katba ka bynta kaba shapoh ki kjat pat, ka long kaba la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem, tang ba ym don jingthoh dak ñong. ña u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem bad ba ñong ka rong, ba long pyllun pyllun. Kaba byrtem bad ba ñong ki don mar syndah, kawei hadien kawei pat bad ka kliar jong u tdong ka long kaba ñong ka rong. Ka bynta ba napoh ka ryndang bad ka kpoh ka long kaba lam byrliet stem. Ha ki ngap jong ki don ki jingpruid dak ñong ar tylli bad ha khap kine ki jingpruid dak ñong don ka rong ba lam byrtem. Nalog ka khlieh jong ki ruh don ki jingpruid dak ñong bun tylli kiba long kum u laiñ, don u shñiuh ba byrtem ka rong. Ha ki tyrpeng jong ki ruh don ka jingpruid dak ñong ba long kum u laiñ.

Ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha ki im hapoh ki khlaw ki btap ba don bad ki wah kiba ñaid bad tuid lyngba ka khlaw ba ki shong ki sah. Ki ju kem ña ki dohkha da kaba ap thap nalog ki maw ba don hapoh ka wah, bad ynda poi ki dohkha, ki sa kem ña ki dohkha thrait da ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki, lem bad ka jingñarap jong ki tyrsim ba nep har har jong ki bad ki sa bam ña ki dohkha. Hynrei, ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba bam ruh ña kiwei pat ki jaid mrad, kum ki Risang, ki Rabbit, ki khun Skei, ki Khnai ba bun jaid bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad.

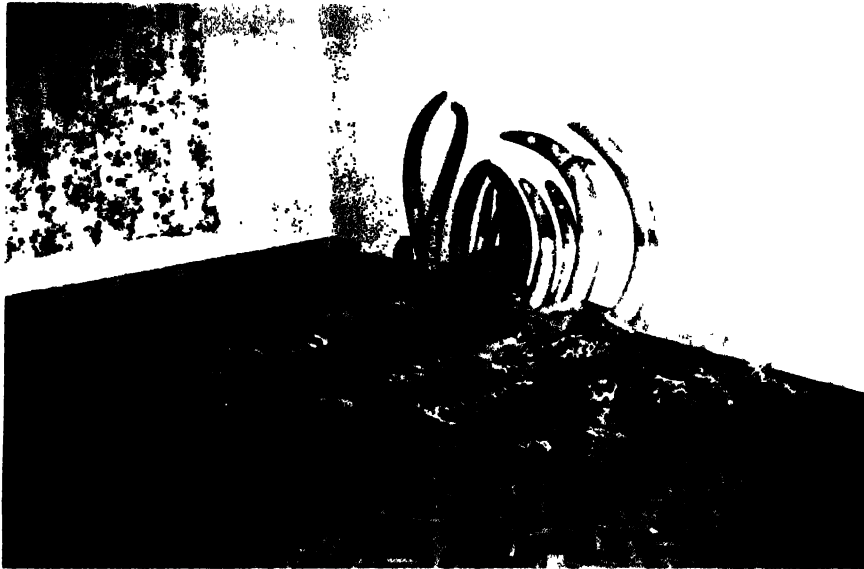
Ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Miaw. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por lyiur ha u bnai Jylliew, ki kha khun ruh ar ne lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long

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ki bym don shñiuh, bad kim lah ban peitkhmat. Ki kha khun hapoh ki krem, ki thliw ba la don lypa ha ka mariang, khamtam ha ki jaka ba don ki phlang kiba jrong bad ki khah. Ka jingkit khlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ya ki khun, ka shong ha ka kmie namar ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Miaw bad ki Khla, mar ya kut ka aom shongkha, ki shynrang ki leit noh la ka lynti. Ynda ki khun ki la san bad ki la khlañ bha, ka kmie jong ki ka ju ñalam ya kiban ya leit beh mrad lang. Ynda ka la punkhun biang, ka iehnoh ya ki khun ba la san jong ka, ba kin ñaid noh la ka jong ka lynti.

La lap ba ki Miaw ba bam dohkha ki don ha Meghalaya. Hynrei, kim long kiba bun ne jyllei lane ya kiba lah ban lap ha kylleng sawdong. Ki kham bun hapoh ki khlaw ki btap kiba don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, sha ka thaiñ Khatkasla, hapoh ka Elaka Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki Jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki Ri.

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*Ki Snieh Khla bad ki Bniat Hati ba la ñoh kurup ki briew Sorkar na ki Nongsiat klep ña ki mrad.*

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### KATTO KATNE KI JINGTHOH BAD JINGKYNTHOH HALOR KI KHLA

#### 12.1 Ki Khla ki long ki jaid mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingjah rngai na sla khyndew:

“Hato, ka jingbun jong ki khla hapoh ka ri ka la hiar sted bha namar ka jingpyniāp klep ia ki? Ka jubab ka long haoid. Ka jingbun jong ki khla ha ri India ka long lajan hynriew phew na ka shispah ka jingdon jong ki Khla ha baroh shityllup ka pyrthei ka don hapoh ka jingshah lynshop kaba khraw namarba jur bad jyllei bha ki kam pyniāp klep ia ki Khla. Ki *expert* ba dei shaphang ki mrad ki mreng ba don hapoh ka ri bad shabar ri ruh ki pyrkhat ba ym pat leh haduh ban da biang bha ban iada ia kine ki jaid mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid. Ki sngew ba ka jingsynshar ha kine ki sngi kam don “Ka mon” kumba la pyni arphew snem mynshwa ban shim ki lad ban ai jingida. Haba ia nujor bad ka jingdon ba palat 40,000 tylli ki Khla ha kaba sdang jong kane ka spah snem, ka jingbun ki Khla ha ka ri India ka la hiar sha ka 1827 ha ka snem 1972.”

“Khublei ia ka jingialeh lang ba la pynlong hapoh ka “*Project Tiger*”, ia kaba la pyntreikam da ka Myntri Rangbah ka ri ha kato ka por ka Mrs. Indira Gandhi, ka jingbun ki Khla ka la kiew sha ka 4334 tylli ha ka snem 1989. Ia ka jingkieh ha ka jingbun ki Khla la fiiew ia ka kum kaei kaei kaba bha tam ha ka jingpynshai ba ki Khla ha satlak ka pyrthei ki don sa tang 6000 tylli ba la ai da ka *Car Specialist Group of Geneva based International Union of Nature and Natural Resources (IUCN)*. Ka jingsngewshongshit pat ka long kaba la neh tang shi por. Ka khana samari (*Census*) jong ka snem 1993 ka pyni ba ka jingbun jong ki Khla ka la hiar sha ka 3429 tylli kaba mut ba la duh lajan haduh shihajar tylli ki Khla. Ha kine ki hynfiiew snem ba la dep, ha ka jingshisha, ka la iohi ia ka jingktah kaba jur bha ia ki Khla. Ki daw ba kongsan katkum ka “*Tiger Cell*” jong ka *World Wildlife Foundation* ka la long ka jingnang iai kiew ha ka jingdawa na ka bynta ki shiyeng ki shruh jong ki Khla na ki ri kum ka China, Hongkong, Taiwan, Korea bad katto katne na ki bynta jong ka ri Japan na ka bynta ban shna dawai ia ki”.

“La kumba shiphew snem mynta, ki *Wildlife Expert* bad ki *Conservationists* (Ki nongialeh ban pynneh pynsah) ki la ju phah ia ka jingmaham na kawei ka por sha kawei pat pyrshah ia ka jingsngewshngaii ia ka jinglong bad ka lawei jong ki Khla heh ha kylleng ka pyrthei. Ia kane ka jingmaham la ju phah kyrpang ia ka khamtam sha ki bor ba peit ha ri India, Bhutan, Nepal bad Bangladesh. La iai kdew ba ka jingjur bad jingjyllei jong ka jingpyniāp klep ia ki ‘La khyrwang (*Royal Bengal Tiger*) bad ia ki Krung (*Leopards*) wat la ki long ki mrad kiba la iada da ka aifi bym bit ban pyniāp ia ki, ka la nangiai jia khlem don ka jingpynduna ym tang hapoh kane ka *Sub – Continent* hynrei ha baroh ka dewbah Asia bad ka bynta ka Russia ba ki khot *Far East* ruh. Bun ki Khla la ai jingtip ba ki la jah rngai napoh ki khlaw ba la buh tyngkai khnang ia ki, kiba don hapoh ri India bad Nepal, wat la ym ioh ia ka jingtip ba pynskhem thikna haduh katno tylli ki la jah. Ka *Forest Department* jong ka Jylla Uttar Pradesh marwei kaba ai jingtip ba haduh 50 tylli ki snieh khla la ioh kurup na ki nongpyniāp klep ia ki Khla ha ka snem 1992-93, sa 24 tylli ki snieh Khla la ioh kem ha ka snem 1993-94 bad sa 53 tylli ki snieh Khla la ioh kem ha ka snem 1994-95. Uwei u Rangbah Sorkar jong ka *Forest Department* u la ong, “Kane ka dei tang ka khmut jong u *Iceberg*” (*Iceberg* – u dei u thah uba lang rben bha, uba heh, ba iar bad ba jrong, ia uba ka um duriaw ka kit ia u, ka bynta ba bun jong ka met jong u la tap da ka um duriaw bad tang ka bynta ba sha kliar jong u ka paw ha ka sla jong ka um duriaw, kumta u long uba ma bad mynsaw bha ia ki jhad bad ki lieng ba iaid ha duriaw ha ki bynta ba u don). Ka jingbun tylli jong ki snieh Khla ba la ioh kem kim don wat tang shiphew na ka shispah jong ki snieh ba la shalan tuh shabar ri”.

“Ki *Drug Enforcing Agencies* ba don hapoh ka ri ki la lap ia ki sabut ba ka don ka jingiatrei lang kaba jur hapdeng ki nongkhañi tuh ia ki drug bad ki nongkhañi tuh ia ki snieh bad ki shyieng jong ki mrad ha ki bynta jong ka *Himalayan Ranges* jong ka jylla Uttar Pradesh. La lap ia ki sabut shaphang kane kumba saw bnai shwa u bnai March la ioh kurup ar tylli ki jingkurup kiba heh ia u *Chavar* (uweï na ki jaid *drug*) ha ka Jylla Uttar Pradesh kaba la ialam ruh ban ioh kem ia ki snieh jong ki ‘Labasa, ki ksang dngiem bad ia ka jingiwbiñ ba don ha ki katto katne ki mrad ia kiba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng “*Musk*”. La tip ba ki nongkhañi tuh ia ki mrad khlaw, ha Joshimath kaba don ha Garhwal bad Pithoragarh kaba don ha thañi Kumaon bad ka Mandi kaba don hapoh ka jylla Himachal Pradesh, ki la rung ruh ha ka kam ban shalan tuh ia ki *drug* namar kine ar jaid ki mar khañi tuh ki wanrah ka jingiohnong kaba khrav haba die ia ki ha ki iew ki hat ba don shabar ri”.

“Ia ki snieh jong ki ‘La Khyrwang bad ki snieh jong ki Krung la die pyllein pyllein ia ki khlem buhrieh ha kiba bun ki ri jong ka *South-East Asia*. Ka la long ka jingtip kaba saphriang bha kylleng ha ka jingdawa ban shna ia ki dawai China ka la long ka bor ba ha lyndet kaba la pynlong ia ki briew ban pynfap klep ia ki Khlā. Ka la long ka sabut na ka jinglap ia kiba la iehnoh hapoh ki khlaw ki btap haba ia ki shyieng la shim ia ki bad ia ki snieh la iehnoh ia ki shadien. Ka dor jong ki shyieng Khlā ha ka por mynta ka long 1500/- tyngka shi kilo. Kham mynshwa, ki nongtrei sorkar ha Nepal ki la ai jingtip ba la lap ia ki bymi ba dap da ki shyieng ha *post office*. Ha kaju ha por la iohi ruh ba ki briew ki la kit ia ki shyieng sha ki thañi khappud jong ka Ri China bad Tibet. U *Chairman* jong ka “*Cat Group*” ruh u la ai jingtip ba ia ki shyieng khlā la die ia ki sha Laos, Taiwan bad sha ki katto katne ki ri ban dup shna dawai ia ki”.

“Ka *Taiwanese Trade Magazine* ruh ka *report* ba tang uwei u nongshet kyriad da ki shyieng Khlā u la thied nabar ri haduh 2000 kilo ka shyieng Khlā man ka snem ban pynmih shi lak bitor ka *wine* (Ka jaid kiad ba lam thiang) kaba long ka jingpynfap haduh 100 tylli ki Khlā khnang ban ioh haduh 2000 kilo ka shyieng khlā. Ka ri Taiwan ka bym ju don Khlā bad ka ri China ruh kaba shisien mynwei ka la long ka ri kaba bun Khlā bha mynta ka don tang khyndiat bha ki Khlā, kata ruh ha ki zoo jong ka. Ki shyieng Khlā ki lah ban wan tang na ki mrad jong kiwei pat ki ri. Khnang ban pynklet ia ka jingsngew pyrshah jong ki briew kiba kwah ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Khlā, ka ri China ka la seng ruh wat ia ki *farm* ban pynkha roi ia ki Khlā ia kaba la khot ha ka ktien phareng ka “*Tiger Breeding Farm*” ha North-East China, hynrei kan nym lah ban long kaba ioh nong bad kaban lah ban pyndap pynbiang ia ka jingiai dawa ka bym kut shuh jong ki kharkhana tylliāt shyieng Khlā”.

“Ha ri India, ia ka “*Tiger Force*” la seng ia ka da ka Sorkar kmie ha ka snem 1970 ban thoh Khasanamari ia ki jaid Khlā bapher bapher ba don ha kylleng sawdong jong ka ri. Ia ka “*Project Tiger*” la sdang ban pyntreikam ia ka ha u bnai Iaiong jong ka snem 1973 ban pynthikna ia ka jingdon ba bun ki Khlā hapoh ka ri, na ka bynta ban pule bniah ia ki kat kum ka jingstad sañan, na ka bynta ka ioh ka kot, na ka bynta ka jingitynnad bad ka jingiphuh iphieng, na ka bynta ka kolshor bad ban pynneh pynsah ia ka jingkordor jong ka mariang bad ruh ban pynneh pynsah ia ka jaka ne thañi ba donkam ban pule kat kum ka jingstad sañan ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng *Biology* jong ka jingioh pateng jong ka ri na ka bynta ka jingmyntoi ha ka pule ka dangle bad ban pynioh kam pynioh jam ia ki briew ha baroh ki por. Ha ka jingplie pyndonburom ia kane ka *scheme*. ka Mrs. Indira Gandhi ka la ong, “Ia u Khlā ym lah ban pynneh pynsah da kaba buh ia u ban im tang marwei, u long ha khlieh jong ka bynta kaba heh ba iar bad kaba kynthup shibun kiei kiei ki kynja ba im bad ki mrad ki mreng kiba don la ka rukom im. Ia ka jaka shong jong u la buh ha ka jingma da ka jingwan tur jong ki briew, ka jingkhañi ia ki dieng ki siej bad ka jingpynbam phlang ia ki masi; donkam nyngkong ban pynduh ia kine”. U Khlā um long tang ma u uba ioh nong na kane ka *project*. Kiba bun kiwei pat ki mrad ba don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duhjad kum ki jaid Skei ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng ki “*Swamp deer*” ki Hati, ki Kyndad (*Rhino*) bad ki Shynreh khlaw ki la ioh ka jingia da ha kine ki snem. Khyndai tylli



ki khlaw ia kiba la buh tyngkai ia ki Khla hapoh ka “*Project Tiger*” Plan ki long ka Bandipur (Hapoh ka Jylla Karnataka), ka *National Corbett Park* (hapoh Jylla Uttar Pradesh), Ka Kanha (Hapoh ka Jylla Madhya Pradesh), ka Manas (Hapoh ka Jylla Assam), ka Melghat (hapoh ka Jylla Maharashtra), ka Palaman (hapoh ka Jylla Rajasthan), Ka Simlipal (hapoh ka Jylla Orissa) bad ka Sunderbans (hapoh ka Jylla West Bengal).”.

“Haba la iohi ia ka jingnangkiew ka jingma ia ki mrad ki mreng, ki *Experts* bad ki *Conservationists* ia ki Khla ki la maham biang pyrshah ia kano kano ka jingsngewshngaiñ bad ka jingsngewhun ha kaban iada ia ki Khla. Ki la kdew shaphang ka jingialeh ba la leh hashwa ban kut jong ka snem 1980 ter ter ka la ialam sha ka lynti jong ka jingduh jingkyrmen hapoh kine ki shiphew snem ba mynta. Ka la don ka jingbakla kaba khraw ba ka jingpynlut pynsep jong ka Sorkar haba la pynlut 3,736.27 Lak tyngka ha kaban pynneh pynsah ia ki mrad ki mreng ha ka snem 1995-96. Wat la 93 percent jong ka jingpynlut na ka bhah ba la mang ha ka *budget* ka paw kumba ka-biang hi hynrei ia ka bhah pisa ba kham heh la pyllait ia ka tang ha uwei u bnai kata ha u bnai *March* 1996. Ka mut ba ka jingpynlut slem ka pyni ba ka pisa kam shym poi ha ka por kaba biang sha ki jaka ba ka dei ban poi sha ki jylla bad kiba donkam ia ka. Shuh shuh la kdew ba katba ki jingmang pisa da ki Jylla na ka bynta ki khlaw bad ki mrad ki mreng hapoh ka *plan* ba hynriew ka la long palat 3.04 percent jong ka jingmang pisa baroh. hapoh ka *plan* kaba phra (1992 - 97) ka la hiar sha ka 2.62 percent. Ka Sorkar Andhra Pradesh ka la leh ia kiei kiei kaban sah record da kaba la mang tang 0.65 percent haba ia nuor bad kaba heh tam kaba 8.93 percent ba la mang da ka Sorkar Himachal Pradesh. Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka kot khubor Apphira kaba la mih ha ka 1 11 1997, ha ka page 4 halor ka *heading* “*Tiger population declining due to Poaching*” kaba dei ka article ba la thoh da u R. K. Bhatnagar”

## 12.2 Hato u Khla un duh jaid noh? Lynda la leh ei ei shen, ki Khla heh jong ka dewbah Asia kin duh kin dam napoh ki khlaw ki btap junom bhor.

“Ka mrad kaba heh ka la paw ha ka por premmiet - kaba thoh khyrwang kaba pyni ia ka bor bad ka jinglong ba mañan jong ka. La mih napoh ka ‘Lawbniap jong ka *Nagarhole National Park* ha Karnataka, ka ‘La-khyrwang kaba la thngan bad ka long kaba la kloi ban beh mrad. Ban bsa ia ka met jong ka kaba khia haduh 150 kilo, ka dei ban pyniñap ia ka Sker, u ‘Niang khlaw lane ia kiwei kiwei pat ki mrad ba heh man ka taiew. Ki tyrpeng ba heh bad ba khlañ jong kabad ki ksangkti ki lah ban pynliem wat ia u Masi khlaw uba lah ban khia haduh 600 kilo bad ki tyngam ba khlañ jong ka lem bad ki bniat ba nep kum ka dakar ki trei sted na ka bynta ban pyniñap”.

“Hynrei mynta kan nym don ka jingpyniñap. Hadien ba ka la iaid tang shiphang ha ka lynti ba don hapoh kata ka park (*Nagarhole National Park*), ka Khla, kynsan kynsan ka la jah shaphang sañium jong kata ka khlaw. Uba la peit ia kata ka jingjah jong ka, U Dr. K. Ullas Karanth (u *Biologist*), uba long U Director jong ka *Mysore Centre for Wildlife Studies*, u la phuh samrkhi kaba pyni ia kaei kaba la tip lypa. “Haba phi iohi ia u Khla” u la pyrkhath, “ka la long barabor kum ka jingphohsniew”.

“Baroh ruh shen ki jingphohsniew ki lah ban long tang kawei ka jaka ha kaba ki Khla ki lah ban iaid kat shaba ki mon. Ki Khla heh jong ka Dewbah Asia ki long ki jingthaw kiban duhjaid ki la nangiah mgai kham kloi ban ia kiwei pat ki mrad ba kham heh lait noh kaba lah ban long ia ki kyndad (*Rhinoceros*). Wat hapoh jong ki khlaw ba la buh kyrpang ban iada ia ki, ki Khla ki iap na ka jingwan pyniñap klep ia ki bad na ka jingbymdon jingisynei jong ka jingkyntur jaka na ka jingiañ kiew ha ka jingbun briew sha ki jaka ba ki shong ki sah”.

“Kam long shuh ka khlaw ba la tyngkai. Palat 6000 ngut ki brierw ki im hapoh ki khlaw *Nagarhole* kaba heh 650 *sq.kms*. Bad la pynkhapngiah ia ki jaka khappud da ki 250 tylli ki shnong rit kiba don da ki phew hajar ngut ki brierw kiba taknieh bad ki Khla na ka bynta ki mar khlaw ba duna, kumjuh ruh don katto katne kiba thrang ban ioh ia ki snieh Khla bad ia ka dkhot met jong ki, kiba wanrah ka dor kaba heh bha ha ki iew khaii mar tuh. Lymda dei namar ka jingdon jong ki 250 ngut ki nongap pahara (*Guards*) kiba iaid patrol ban iada ia ki, yn ym don uwei ruh na ki Khla uba lah ban im kham slem”.

“Ym palat ia ka 5000 haduh 7500 tylli kine ki mrad ba i kum ki syiem kiba bam da ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad kiba dang sah mynta ha kylleng satlak ka pyrthei – 95 na ka shispah ki la hiar na ka jingdon jong ki ha kane ka spah snem. Lymda la leh ei ei kaba pyrkhing bha shen, ia ki khlaw yn sa iohi ia ki sa tang hapoh ki zoo bad ha ki jingialehkai *Circus*”.

“Da ki hajar snem mynshwa, ki Khla ki la rung hapoh ka jingmut jingpyrkhat jong u khun bynrrew kumba ki la iaid shisha ia ki khlaw ki btap jong ka Asia. Ha ki phud jong ka wah Amur ha Russia, ki *archaeologists* (Ki stad wad bniah shaphang kiei kiei kiba rim bad ba la jan duh) ki la lap ia ki jingohdur ohdar ba la 6000 snem shaphang ki Khla. Ha ka *Hindu Mythology* (ki jingiathuh khana ne ki parom Hindu hyndai) la iathuh ba ka ‘Lei Durga ka shong halor u Khla. Bad u Chang Tae-ling, u kpa tymmen jong ka niam *Taoism* ruh u la shong halor u Khla uba heh ha ka jingleit wad jong u ban ialeh ia ka jingsniew bad ha ka jingwad jong u ia u shabi sha ka jinglong ban nym iap shuh”.

“Lada ka *Asian Culture* kam shym la niiew burom shuh ia u Khla, kiba bun pat ki dang peit ia u haduh mynta ba u long ka thymmei jingpynkhiah kaba khlaii bor bha. Ki Kobiraj kiba long ki nongai dawai da ki dawai ba la ioh ha la shnong la thaw, khamtam eh ki Kobiraj China, ki niiewkor lajan baroh ki bynta jong u Khla. Ki ngeit ba ka dawai ba la shna na ki shyieng Khla ka pynkoit ia ka jingpang mat (*Rheumatism*) bad ka pynkiew ia ka jingim slem, ba ki shiuh ba mih ha ki ngap jong u Khla ki ai ka jingkhlaia bad ka syrwa ba la shet da ki tiar jinglong shynrang jong ki Khla kan pynkhlaia bor biang ia ka jingkwah iapoikha jong kito ki brierw kiba la tlot ka bor met ha kane ka liang”.

“Namarba ka ioh ka kot ka la kiew ha Asia, kumta ki brierw ki lah ban siew ia ka dor ba rem na ka bynta ban ioh dii ia ka dawai ba la shna na ka dkhot met jong u Khla. Bad ka jingduna ha ka *supply* ia ki Khla ka la nang pynkiew shuh shuh ia ka dor jong ki dkhot met jong ki, kaba la pynlong ia ka jingiohngong shuh shuh ia ki nongpyniap klep ban nang pynjot wat kham bun ki Khla”.

“Ki bor ba la pyniaid ia ki iew khaii tuh ki long kiba khlaii haduh katta katta ba ym don kano kano kaba eh ha ki - ym dei ka jingsngew ki paidbah, ka bor saia hima lymne ki pulit- kaba lah ban pynsangeh ia ka jingsyntuid jong u Khla sha ka jingjah mgai na sla ka pyrthei. Ka jingbeh mrad ban ioh buh rong ia ki snieh jong ki ha la iing ki sem bad ka jingpynduh pyndam ia ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki ka la pynduh jaid ia ki Khla *Balinese* (kiba la ju don ha ka dewlynnong Bali) la palat 40 snem mynshwa. Ki Khla *Caspian* bad ki Khla *Java* ruh ki la duh la dam ha ki snem hyniiewphew (kata hapoh 1970 haduh 1979) bad ha ki snem phraphew (kata hapoh 1980 bad 1989). Mynta ka jingkhaii tuh bad ka jingpyniap klep ka la buh ha ka jingma ia kiwei pat ki jaid Khla ruh. Kham duna ia ka 650 tylli ki Khla Sumatra ki dang im, bad lehse ym palat ia ka 200 tylli ki Khla *Siberia's Amur*, ki jaid Khla ba heh tam ha ka pyrthei, ki dang im mynta”.

“Ka India, kaba don palat ia ka shiteng na ka jingdon ki Khla ha pyrthei, ka la kut jingmut ban iada ia ki. Hynrei ka jingbun jong ki Khla ha ki khlaw ba tyngkai ia ki ka la nangtai hiar ha kine ki

khyndiat snem. Ha kawei na ka jingpyniāp kput hapdeng ka snem 1989 bad 1992, ha ka *Ranthambhore National Park* ha Rajasthan, ka la duh palat 20 tylli ki Khla ha ki nongpyniāp klep wat la ka don haduh 60 ngut ki *guards* kiba ap pahara ya kane ka khlaw”.

“Dang khyndiat snem mynshwa, la ñiew ba ka jingñaleh ban pynneh pynsah ya u Khla ka la long kaba jop. Hadien da ki spah snem ba, ka jingbeh mrad ba long aiñ bad ka jingpynduh pyndam ya ki khlaw ki btao ka la wanrah ya ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid noh, ka Sorkar India ka la kut jingmut ban pyllait im ya ki Khla ha ka snem 1973”.

“Ka jingshim ya kane ka kam kum la ka kam la jong shimet, ka *Prime Minister* Indira Gandhi ka la pyntrei kam ya ka *Project Tiger*, kaba pyntrei kam ya ka jingthrang ban jop jong ka ri da kaba buh bun tylli ki khlaw ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ya ki Khla hapoh ka ri. Ha ki snem 1980 ka jingbun jong ki Khla hapoh kane ka *Sub-Continent* ka la kiew bha haduh ba ka la pynlong ya u B. R. Koppikar, uba long u *Director* jong ka *Project Tiger* ha kata ka por ban kren kop, “Ym don jingma shuh mynta ba ki Khla kin duhjaid hapoh ri India”

“Ka kynhun jong ki nongñaleh ban pynneh pynsah, la kumno kumno, ka la leh kum bym ñohi ya ki dak ki shin ba baroh kam long kaba bha. Kam don ka programme jong ka Sorkar kaba lah ban khang ya ka jingñai kyntur jaka sha ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki Khla katba ki briew ki nangñai roi, bad kiba bun ki mrad ba la ñiew ha ki khanasamari jong ka India ki la long pynban kiba don tang ha ka jingmutdur jong ki nongtrei Sorkar ba bat ya ka kam ba kham halor. Kaba paw shynna bha, ka long ba ki nongñada ya ki Khla ki khlem lah ban pynleit ya ka jingmut jingpyrkhat kaba biang sha ka jingnang heh ka ñew ba die ya ki dkhoh met jong ki Khla”.

“Ka jingkhañi ba be-aiñ ya ki mrad khlaw. Ka ñew barabor ka la don lypa, hynrei ha ki snem phraphew (kata naduh 1980 haduh 1989) ka la don tang khyndiat ka jingma na ka bynta kiba bun ki Khla. Ha ki snem ba mynshwa, ka China ka la pyniāp pathar da ki phew hajar tylli ki Khla, namarba ki Khla ki long ki nongpynjot kiba buh ya ki briew ha ka jingma. Kane ka jingpyniāp pathar kaba pynñoh kham bun ki shyieng ba ka jinglum thup ya ki shyieng Khla ha China ka la thylli ha shwa ban kut ki snem phraphew (kita sha ka 1986 haduh 1989) ki nongñaleh ban pynneh pynsah ki la sdang ban ñohi ya ka rukom pyniāp klep ba kham pher ya ki Khla”

“U Srijendra Singh, jong ka *India's Tiger Crisis Cell* u la ñohsngew nyngkong ya ka jingñohkem ya ki nongpyniāp klep ya ki Khla lem bad ki pla ba dap da ki shyieng Khla ha ka snem 1989. Ka la pynshañong bad pynlyngngoh ya u Singh bad ya kiwei de ki briew Sorkar ha *Corbett National Park* kaba ki la tuh ya ki jaka ba la tep mynshwa ya ki met iap ki Khla, tang ban lap ba ya ki shyieng ki shruh la dep shim noh ya ki hadien ki jungai jingtip shaphang ka jingpyniāp klep ya ki Khla namar ki shyieng jong ki, ki la sdang ban wan poi na kylleng ka ri India”.

“Dei dang shen, la kumno kumno, ba ki briew Sorkar ki la sngewthuh ya ka jingkhrow jong ka jingpyniāp ya ki Khla, ka *Sting Operation* ba la pynlong da ka Sorkar India bad ka *TRAFFIC* ka seng kaba peit bad bud bñiah ya ki jingkhañi ya ki mrad khlaw na ka bynta ka *World Wildlife Fund*, ka la lap ya ka jingtrei ba ñar bha namar ban pyniāp klep ya ki Khla, tang ha kawei ka jingñoh kurup, ha u bñai *August* jong ka snem 1993 ha New Delhi. La ñoh haduh 280 kilo ki shyieng Khla (kaba iaryngkat bad 20 tylli ki Khla) bad phra tylli ki snieh Khla”.

“Ka *Sting Operation* ka la lap ruh ba don palat 12 tylli ki longñing longsem, kiba sah ha ki ñing jot, ki ya don kti ha ka khañi be-aiñ ya ki mrad khlaw. Hangta ya kiba shisien ki ju long ki mrad ba iphuh ipheing la khohsnieh ya ki, ya ki bynta ba kordor jong ki la thad tyrkhong bad la thep ya ki ha ki

jingsong bad ya ki shyieng jong ki la pynkhuid ba kin lieh bha. Ki snieh, kiba lah ban wanrah ka jingtohnong kaba haduh \$ 15,000/- ha ka tyngka America, ki leit sha Sepngi, kham bunsien sha ki iing jong ki nong Arab kiba riewspah bha, katba ki shyieng pat ki leit sha Mihngi halor ka met jong ki nong Tibet kiba kit ya kane ka mar *black* lyngba ki riat ki ram jong ki lumbah sha khappud ka ri China”.

“Ki nongfaleh ban pynneh pynsah kiba dei ki nong India ki la peit da ka jingduh jingkyrmen ha kane ka sien ba thymmai ba ki jingpynlap klep ka la pynduh pyndam ya ka jingtrei shitom kaba da ki phewsnem. U Sanjay Debroy, uba long u *Wildlife Officer*, uba peit bad pyniaid ya ka jingpynneh pynsah ya ki Khla ha ka Jylla Assam mynta la palat 24 snem, u la iohsngew ba hapdeng 30 bad 40 tylli ki Khla la pynlap ya ki tang hapoh saw bnai hapoh ka khlaw tyngkai kaba don 90 tylli ki Khla”.

“Nga la pyrkhat ba nga la leh ya kaei kaei kaban pynbun biang ya ka jingdon ki Khla kumba ki ju don”. La ong u Debroy, “Hynrei mynta nga peit ba ya ka jingtrei ba nga la trei baroh shi jingim ka la tuid shapoh nala”.

“La ka jinglong sniew ka la long haduh katne hapoh ri India, ka long kham sniew shuh shuh ha ka thaifi Lam Mihngi jong ka ri Russia ya kiba la khot Taiga. Ki Khla Amur, kiba shong sah ha ka khlaw kaba ya jymgam sah kaba heh 1300 *kilometers*, ki la jan jah rngai ha ki snem Laiphew (Kata hapdeng 1930 bad 1939), haba ki heh ki haifi, ki kynrem ki lyndan *Communist* ki ioh haduh shiphew tylli ki Khla tang ha ka jingleit beh mrad ba shisien. Shisien ba ka ri ka la rai ban iada ya ki Khla, la kumno kumno, ka jingbun jong ki ka la sdang ban kiew na kaba sa tang kumba 30 tylli ei ei sha ka 400 tylli la shwa ban kut ki snem phraphew (kata hapdeng 1986 bad 1989), hynrei ka dor jong ki Khla ka la kiew dor jur bha haba sdang ki snem khyndai phew (1990 bad 1995) hamar ba la khyllam ka Soviet Union kaba la wan rah ya ka jingkyrduh kaba la pynlong ya ka *Wildlife Department* ha kato ka jakaban ym don pisa shuh, bad ki nongtrei Sorkar kiba kloi ban bamsap.”

“Ka jingmih na kane ka long ka jingduh kaba khraw bha. Ha ka Tlang jong ka snem 1992-93, kumba 98 tylli ki Khla la pynlap ha Taiga. Lynda ka Sorkar Russia kam pynrkhing ya ka jingbeh mrad ya ki Khla, ki Khla Amur ki lah ban duh ban dam na kane ka pyrtnei hapoh ar ne lai snem”.

“Ka jingeh jingshitom ba mynta ka pynpaw ya ki jingduna ha ka rukom treikam jong ki nongfaleh ban pynneh pynsah ba mynshwa. La ong u Samuel Labudde jong ka *Endangered Species Project* ha ka *Earth Island Institute*. “Ka jingbymlah ban khang ya ka jingdawa ha iew ha hat – kaba la pynshlur ya ka jingpynlap klep – kaba mut ba da ki phew million dollar (ka tyngka America) kaba la ai ban pyllait im ya ki Khla ka la long palat khyndiat ban ya ka jingai *subsidy* kaba khraw na ka bynta ban khaifi ya ki dawai China ba tynrai”.

“La kular ban iarap tang na ka rymmiang shyntur. Hynrei ki jingpynphriang khubor antor jong ki ri Sepngi, kaba la iarap ban pynduna ya ka jingdawa na ka bynta ki bniat Hati, ka lah ban long ka byni da lah ban treikam bha ha kaban khang ya ka jingdawa na ka bynta ki shyieng Khla ha ri China, Korea bad Taiwan. Khamtam namar ki dawai pynkhiyah ba la shna na ki shyieng Khla ki long kiba la suhthied bha ha kine ki Kolshor bad ki Sorkar jong ki, ki la long kiba sukiban pynrkhing ya ka jingkhafi ya ki dkhot met jong ki Khla. Ha ka jingshisha, baroh lai tylli ki ri la slem bha ba ki la kular ban iarap tang na ka rymmiang shyntur ban iada ya ki mrad ba la don ha ka jingma ba kin duh jaid katba ki ya leh ya ka kam kumba ki ju leh”.

“Ha u bnai September 1993 ka jingfalang halor ka jingkhafi pateng ya ki mrad ki mreng bad ya ki syntiew ki skud kiba la don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid, ka la maham ya ka ri China bad

Taiwan ba ki dei ban khang noh ña ki jingkhali ba be-aiñ jong ki ña ki dkhoh met jong ki Khla bad ki Kyndad (*Rhino*) lane mad ña ka *Trade Sanction* kaba lah ban jia shisha (ka jingbym ñadei shuh ha ka khali ka pateng). Bad ha u bnai ñalong jong ka snem 1994, ka ri America ka la pynbna ña ka *Trade Sanction* ba yn pynduna noh ña ka jingkhali pateng pyrshah ña ka ri Taiwan na ka bynta ba kam lah ban khang ña ka jingkhali ña ki dkhoh met jong u Khla. Wat la katta ruh, ka jingwad bniah da ki kynhun jong ki briew ba kwah ban pynneh pynsah ña ka mariang ki la ñathuh, ki jingdie ña ki dawai ba la shna na ka dkhoh met jong ki Khla, ki Kyndad bad kiwei pat ki jaid mrad ba la don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid lah ban ñoh ña ki da kaba suk”.

Wat ha ka jingñaleh tynggeh, da ka jingñatrei lang jong ki ri ka pyrthei ka lah ban pynduh pyndam ña ka jingleit siat klep ña ki mrad na khlaw, u Khla un dang don hi ha ka jingeh. Ka jaka shong ka jaka sah jong u (Kata ki khlaw ki bñap) ki la nangrit nangrit bad ka jingdon kabam ka diñ jong u ruh ka la nangduna shuh, namar ki pud ki sam ba la shim da ki briew ña ki bym lah shuh ban pynduh ki la nangheh bad nangñar. “Ka jingpynñap klep ka long ka jingpynñap briew, hynrei ka jingkhapngiah ka long ka jingpynñap op ba suki” La ong u Geoffrey Ward, U nongñathoh lang ña ka kot ba la jer kyrteng *Tiger-Wallahs*.

“Na ka bynta kiba bun ki Khla, ka ri India kan long ha kaba yn ñaleh ña ka thma na ka hynnta ka jingim jong ki kan long kaban jop ne rem. Kam long ka jaka kaba bha tam ban ñeng ban ñaleh, haba shim na ka jingktah jur na ka jingnangroi ba palat ha ka jinghun briew. U Myntri ba dei peit ña ka *Environment* u Kamal Nath u la ong, “Ka jingma pyrshah ña u Khla kam pat ju long kaba khlañ haduh katta katta lane ban long kaba shisha bha”. Ha kawei pat ka liang, ka ri India ka la dep pynlut da ki spah klur hapoh kine ki 20 snem jong ka jingdon ka *Project Tiger* bad kaba dang don ruh ka Kolshor kaba burom ña ka mariang”.

“Ki briew bad ki Khla ki la ju ña don ryngkat da ki spah hajar snem mynshwa. Haduh mynta ki Khla heh ki la long kiba kham kyrpang ba lah ban pynñiang ñalade bad kiba lah ban jop kloñ ña ki jingeh. Hynrei u Khla uba don mynta ha ka jingeh kaba khraw namar u hap ban ñaleh bad u briew, uba la pynshisha ba u long u nongpynñap ba shyrkhei bad ba thit bha”.

“Kan kren aiu ña ka jaidbynriew lada ngin shah ba u Khla un duh jaid?” La kylli u Ashok Kumar, *Vice-president, Wildlife Protection Society of India*. “Kaei kaba ngi lah ban tyngkai ne pynim? Hato ngi lah mo ban pylait im ñalade?”

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### KI JINGÑALEH BA DANGSHEN BAN PYNLAIT IM ñA U KHLA

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Hapoh ki ar snem ba la dep, la shim bun ki lad ban pyrshang ban pynsangeh ña kaei kaba i kum bymlah shuh ban khang ña ka jingpynñap pathar ña ki Khla ka ri India. Ka *Ministry of Environment and Forest* ka la buh ña ka *Tiger Crisis Cell* ban ñarap ña ki bor ba peit ña ki khlaw ba la buh kyrpang ban tyngkai ña ki Khla bad la kyntu jur ba ka sorkar ka dei ban seng thymmai noh ña ka *Anti-Poaching Force* ( ka bor ban ñaleh pyrshah ña ka jingpynñap klep). Ka *Ministry* ka kwah ruh ba ña kito kiba la suba ba ki dei ki nongpynñap klep ba yn tian bishar ña ki da ki ñingbishar ba la buh kyrpang tang na ka bynta kane ka kam. Nalor kane, ka sorkar India bad ka sorkar China ki la teh kular ha u bnai *March* ba la dep ba kin ñatreilang ha kaban ñaleh pyrshah ña ka jingpynñap klep, ka jingshalan tuh, bad ka khali tuh bad ka khali pateng ña ki dkhoh met jong ki Khla. Baroh ar tylli ki ri, nalor kiwei pat kiei kiei, met ñasam ña ki jingtip shaphang ki lad ki lynti kiba ki la dep leh ban pynduh ña ka jingkhali ña ki dkhoh met jong ki Khla, bad ba kin ña trei lang ha ka jingwad bniah bad pynlong ña ki *programme* ai jinghikai.

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Hynrei, katto katne ki *experts* ki la iasaid ba ym don kawei ruh na kine kaban treikam kham bha. Ka *Tiger Crisis Cell* kam ju iakynduh man ka por, la bynñiaw u Ashok Kumar jong ka *Wild Life Society of India*. Bad la kdew u Yalmik Tnapar, uba long uba pawkhamat bha na ki nongñaleh ban pynneh pynsah bad u *Director* jong ka *Ranthambhore Foundation*, ka jingbymdon ka mon ba jwat na ka seng hima ka la khanglad ña ka seng ña baroh ar ka *Special Court* bad ña ka *Anti-Poaching Unit*, wat la shi snem la dep hadien ba la tatuklar ba dei ban seng ña ki.

Hapoh kata ka por, ka jingjurip jong ka Sorkar ña ki 15 tylli ki khlaw buh tyngkai ña ki mrad ka la pynpaw ña ka jinglong ba i sangsot jong ka *Project Tiger*: 12 tylli na ki kim don ki nongappahara kiba la kieng atiar ban ñaleh pyrshah ña ka jingpynñap klep, baroh lait noh kawei ki long kiba duna nongtrei bha haduh katta katta; lajan lai bynta kim ñoh ña ka bhah pisa ba la mang na ka bynta jong ki hapoh ka por ba ki dei ban ñoh; palat shiteng na ki kim don ki nongtrei kiba biang ne ka jingshemphang ban peit bniah bad phikir bha ña ka jingbun jong ki Khla man ka snegi kumba la donkam ña kiban leh.

“Kiba bun na kine ki khlaw ba la buh kyrpang ban tyngkai bad ban pynneh pynsah ña ki Khla ym shym la ai Kali, ki *Binoculars* (Ka kor peit ba lah ban ñohi sha jngai) bad ña kiwei pat ki tiar ba donkam sha ki nongtrei jong ki”, la ong u Dr. Jay Samant, U *Director* jong ka *Bombay Natural History Society* (BNHS) “Kam long kaei kaei kaban sngewphylla, namarkatta, ba kiba bun ki nongtrei *Forest* kiba la sngewngiah shaphang kane ka jinghymbiang tiar jong ki kum leit shuh ban kem ña ki nongpynñap klep.”

Da ka jingkyrmen ban nangpynkhlañ ña ka jingñaleh jong ka Sorkar, ka *Ranthambhore Foundation*, lem bad kiwei pat ki *Institutions* ba don ka juh ka jingthmu bad ki briew shimet ha kylleng sawdong jong ka ri, ki la seng ña ka jingtreikam kaban ñasnohkti lang ha u bnai *February* ba la dep. la kaba la jer kyrteeng ka *Tiger Link*, ha kane ka jingñatnei lang kin bei pisa lang na ka bynta ka jinglut jingsep bad ban ñabynrap lang ña ka jingstad jingshemphang jong ki nongñaleh ban pynneh pynsah, ki nongthoh kot khubor, ki riwainñ bad kiwei pat kiba kwah ban pynneh ña ki Khla heh, ban tip bad ai jingshai shaphang ki jaka ha kiba ka jingñaleh dei ban shimti. Nalor kaba ban jur ña ka Sorkar ba ka dei ban pynbha ña ka rukom trei kam jong ka, man ka snem ka *Tiger Link* kan ai ka khusnam kaban shongdor baroh 250,000 tyngka na ka bynta ka jingtreikam ba kham kyrpang ban pynneh pynsah ña ki Khla.

Kawei pat ka jinglap kaba dang shen kaban ñarap ña ka jingñaleh jong ka ri India ban pynneh pynsah ka dei ka jinglap ña ka rukom ñiew kaba paka bha ña ka jingdon ki Khla. Ka rukom thoh Khansamari ña ki Khla ha ki por ba mynshwa kumba ju long ka rukom la shaniah beit tang ha ka jingbisha bad ka jingpeit bniah ña ki dienjat jong ki, ka rukom kaba lah ban don bun ki jingbakla. U Dr. K. Ullas Karanth jong ka *Mysore's Centre for Wildlife Studies*, u la lap ña ka buit thymmai ha kaba ña ki *Electronic Camera* la buh ña ki ha ki lynti ba ki Khla ki ñaid ki ñeng bha khang ba kin shondur ña kita ki Mrad.

Ha kaba kut hi, wat la kumno kumno ruh, kumba u nongbehmrad ba la pawnam bha bad uba tip bha shaphang ka mariang, u Jim Corbett u la kynthoh mynba sanpnew snem mynshwa, ka nusib jong u Khla ka shong ha ka kti jong ki riwepaidbah. Ha ka kot ba pawnam jong u ña kaba la jer kyrteeng “*Man-Eaters of Kumaon*”, u Corbett u la batai shaphang u Khla ba u long kum “U riw-donburom ba kylluid mynsiem bad u bym don jingtieng”, bad u la ñathuhlypa ba ña une u mrad yn sa pynduh jaid ña u “Lynda ka jingsngew jong ki paidbah ka long ban ai ka jingkyrshan na ka bynta ba un im”.

La sot ïa kane ka jingthoh na ka *Reader's Digest* jong u bnai *August*, 1995 ïa kaba la thoh da u Eugene Linder halor ka heading, "*IS THE TIGER DOOMED?*" naduh ka sla 105 haduh ka sla 111. Kane kaba don pat hapoh ka synduk ba la ker da ki laiñ pat ka dei ka jingthoh ba la mih ha kajuh ka jingthoh ha ka *Reader's Digest* – tangba la thoh ïa ka da u Shanoo Bijlani.

"La u Khla un dang lah ban im bad ban neh ban sah ka long kaei kaei ka bym lah ban ai ka jubab kaba thikna. Ki Khla heh, kiba long kiba iphuh iphieng tam na baroh ki jaid Khla, ki don barabor hapoh ki jingma ba thymmai kaba nang pynma shuh shuh ïa ka jinglah jong kiban im bad ban sah ban neh. Mynta ki la ïakynduh ïa ka jingma kaba ar kaba long kaba shyrkhei bha hadien kaba nyngkong haba ka jingbun jong ki ka la hiar shaba palat bha haduh ba ki la don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid. Ka jingma ba thymmai ka dei na ki *Sal borers* (Ki jaid khñiang ba sam thliw ïa ki dieng Sal). Ki *Beetles* (ki Skiah), na ki hi kim shym long kiba don jingma ïa ki Khla. Hynrei ki don ka jingkitkhlieh ha kaban pynlong ka jingeh kaba khraw kaban ktah jur bha ïa ka jinglah ban im bad ban neh ban sah jong ki Khla heh. Namar, ki jaid skiah ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng *Beetle Sal Borers* ki la ktah ïa baroh kawei ka Jylla Madhya Pradesh, kaba don ki khlaw ba jyrngam bad ba riewspah tam hapoh ka ri, kan khot ban pom dieng noh ïa kine ki dieng, ban ot bad kit ïa ki shabar ki khlaw tyngkai kiba ju long ruh ki jaka tyngkai ïa ki Khla. Kane kan rah ruh ïa ki kor ki bor kiba heh bad kiba pynmih ïa ka jingsawa kaba jur, kan pynkiew ïa ka jingtrei jingktah jong ki briew bad ka jingshong jingsah jong ki nongot dieng ha ka jaka ba ki khylllem ïa ki dieng, bad kumta kan pynjot ïa ka jinglong ba jai jai bad ka suk jong ka jaka sah jong u Khla".

"Katkum ka jingkheñ jong kiba bun, ki dieng sal ba la ktah da ka jingsiamthliw ki skiah hapoh ka Jylla Madhya Pradesh ka la long khadwei lak tylli. Hynrei katkum ki *expert* pat, ki dieng ba la shah ktah ki long kham bun shah ban ïa kaba la pyni. Na kine, kumba shiphew lak tylli ki dieng ha ki hynriew jaka la buh ban pom noh ïa ki. Kumba sawphew hajar tylli na kine ki dieng ba la buh ban pynduh noh, ki don hapoh ka *Kanha National Park*, kaba long ka khlaw tyngkai Khla kaba bha tam hapoh ka ri bad kaba ki *Tourists* ki sngewtynnad bha ban leit jngoh ïa ka".

"Kumno ka lah ban long ba ki khlaw dieng *Sal* kin long kiba paw shai tyngkreng ba ki don ka bynta bad ka jingim jingñap jong u Khla? Namar kine ki khlaw ki pynñoh ki jaka beh mrad ba kysai tam ïa ki Khla. Ha ka jingshisha, ki jaka ba la jied da u Khla ban shong ban sah ki long ki lawbniap (*shrubland*), ki jaka phlang ba sañium bad ki khlaw dieng *Sal* bad dieng *Teak*. Kine ki jait khlaw ki jyllei bha ha Terai bad ha ka jaka pdeng jong ka ri India. Ki khlaw dieng bad dieng *Teak* ki ïar na Rewa na shaphang shatei sha Chanda bad Dankaranya (Bastar) sha ka phang shathie, na Orissa bad Chota Nagpur ha ka phang Mihngi sha Gwalior bad Hoshangabad shangphang Sepngi. Kine ki khlaw ki ïaid ruh lyngba ka Mysore, Konkan, Malabar, Nilgiris bad ki Western Ghat. Ha ka bynta ba ïar jong ka Mysore bad Malabar hangne don shibun bha ki Khla. Ki khlaw jong ka Rajasthan ha Udaipur, Jaipur bad Alwar ruh ki long kiba riewspah ha ki jingdon jong ki Khla".

"Ki *Contrator* ki bym don ka jingñatipler (*Unscrupulous Contractors*) ïa kiban sa ai kam na ka bynta ban khet ne pom ïa ki dieng Sal ba la shah siam thliw ha ki skiah, khlem artatien kin sa pynkhylllem ne pom klep wat ïa ki dieng *Teak* ruh; kumta kan pynthylli ïa ki jingda ka mariang ïa ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki Khla bad ruh, ha kane ka rukom, kin pynjot thiaw ïa ki jaka beh mrad ba kysai tam jong ki Khla heh. Hynrei kaba sniew tam ha kane ka liang ka long ka jingñoh kabuba kan ai ïa ki nongpynñap klep bad ki nongap masi na ka bynta ban pynñap ïa ki Khla, kiwei na ka bynta ban ïoh kamai ha ka khañi ka pateng bad kiwei pat namar ka jinglong tynrai jong ka jingtieng ïa ki Khla heh bad ka jingpyrkhat na ka bynta ba ki Masi jong ki kin lait na ka jingma. Namarkata, ki Khla kin shah pynwit bad kan long ka jingkhlanglad ba kin ïoh suk ïa ki mrad ba ju long ka jingbam jong ki

kum ki *Sambar* (Ki Sier), ki *Cheetal* (Ki Skei Ptet) bad ki Sniang khlaw, kin wad jingbam shabar u pud jong ki khlaw ba la buh khnang ban iada ia ki. Ka jingshah pyniāp jong ki Khla kham bunsien da kaba siat hynrei kham jur pat da ka jingai bih kaba la kiew bha haduh katta katta".

"Ka jingpyniāp ia ki Khla da kaba ai bih kam dei ka rukom ba thymmai na ka bynta ki nongpyniāp klep bad ia ki nongkyndong kiba khambun na ki, ki dei ki riewlum. Ia kane la ju leh ha ki por ba kham mynshwa ruh. Kumba shiphew snem mynshwa lajan kumba shiteng dorjon ki Khla la pyniāp da kaba aibih ia ki hapoh ka *Dudhwa National Park*. Ka la don ka jingiakhiih paidbah kaba jur namar kane, hynrei kam shym la seisoh ei-ei ruh ha kaba kut. Ki nongtrei jong ka *Park* bad ka *Sanctuary* ki don ka jingpynshai kaba biang bha na ka bynta ba kin lah ban pynduh ia kum kitei ki jingjia lane wat ia ka jingpyniāp klep namar kim don ki kali kiba sted bad ba khlaññ ban iaid ha ka lynti khlaw ba khohruh khohram lymne ki tiar ialeh ba kysai ban ia biang kum ki jong kito ki nongpyniāp klep".

"Ka jingpyniāp ia ki Khla da kaba ai bih hapoh kine ar snem ba la lah ka long kumba 40 tylli. Arphew tylli ki Khla la dep pyniāp da kaba ai bih hapoh ki ar snem ba mynshwa, kiha khambun dei hapoh ka khlaw tyngkai Khla ba ki khot *Srisailam Tiger Reserve*. Kumba shiphew snem mynshwa lajan shiphew tylli ki Khla la pyniāp da kaba ai bih hapoh ka *Dudhwa National Park*, kane ka *Park* ka iohnam namar ka don kumba 97 tylli ki Khla. Khadwei tylli la pyniāp ha kane ka snem ba la dep, lajan uwei shi bnai. Ka jingshah pyniāp ha kiba bun ki khlaw tyngkai Khla ka la kiew bha ha kine ki ar snem ba la dep, ka *Safari Park*, kaba don shabar ka Bhopal hapoh Madhya Pradesh san tylli, ha *Corbett National Park* saw tylli, ha *Srisailam Tiger Reserve* kaba don hapoh Andhra Pradesh 16 tylli, *Bhodru Sanctuary* kaba don hapoh Karnataka uwei, ha *Pakhal Sanctuary* kaba don hapoh Orissa hynriew tylli, hapoh ka *Todopa National Park* bad hynriew tylli ha *Mahadev National Park*, ha *Dudhwa* kaba don hapoh Uttar Pradesh saw tylli, bad ha Rajasthan phra tylli".

"Kumba 80 tylli ki Khla la dep pyniāp ia ki da kaba ai bih ne da kaba siat shabar ka *National Park* ha Uttar Pradesh bad 15 tylli ha Maharashtra. Ka jingbuh jingkhciñ ia ka jingdon ki Khla hapoh ka ri ka long hapdeng 2300 bad 3000 tylli. Na kine, 50 na ka shispah la lap ba ki don shabar jong ki khlaw ba la buh tyngkai ia ki Khla".

"Kine ki long kham bunsien hapoh 2 kms jong ki *buffer zones*. Ki *buffer zones* ki don mar syndah jong ki lyngkha rep pai kiba ai jaka rieh babha ia ki Khla ban apthap bad ban iohrong ia ki jingri jingdup. Ki aiñ ban siew buria ki long kiba kyllaiñ jalabi bha haduh katta katta bad ki nongtrei Sorkar ruh kiba leh bym salia kaba la pynlong bunsien ia ka jingshah rong jong ki Masi khlem leh ei ei ruh. Namarkata, ki nongrep ki la shim halade hi ban pynduh ia kane ka jingshyrkhei na ki 'La Khyrwang. Ka lad ba ki la shim ka long ban siat ne ban ai bih ia kine ki mrad bad kumta la pynduh ia ka jingwan pynjot jong ki. Ki nongkyndong ki shim kumba ka long ka hok ba shong aiñ jong kiban pynduh ia kane ka jingma kaba wan na ki 'La Khyrwang".

"Namar la pynkup bor ia ki da ka aiñ ban pynbam phlang ia ki Masi jong ki hapoh ki khlaw bad kumjuh ruh ban shim ia ki dieng thang ding bad ban ot phlang bam Masi, namarkata ki long barabor kiba don ha ka jingma na ki Khla".

"Ka Jylla Madhya Pradesh ka long kaba riewspah ha ki khlaw dieng *Sal*, lajan kumba 25 na ka 100 jong ki khlaw dieng *Sal* ba don hapoh ka ri ki don hapoh Madhya Pradesh. Ka jingfar jong kine ki khlaw ka long haduh 20, 052 sq. kms. hapoh 14 tylli ki *District*. Ka jingbun jong ki Khla ha Madhya Pradesh ha ka snem 1993 ka long 912 tylli. Ki la kiew sha ka 927 tylli hapoh ki bnai *May* bad *June* jong ka snem 1997. Ka Andhra Pradesh ka don 235 tylli ki Khla ha ka snem 1989. Ka



jingbun jong ki ka la hiar sha ka 197 ha ka snem 1993. Ka Uttar Pradesh ka don 475 tylli ki Khla kat kum ka *Census* jong ka snem ba la dep”.

“Lymda la ĩada bha ĩa ki khlaw, ki mrad khlaw kin nym lah ban im bad ban sah ban neh. Ki khlaw ki pynĥoh ka mariang kaba koit ba khiah wat ĩa ki briew ruh. Dei namar kane ba la khot ĩa ki khlaw, ki tor (*Lungs*) jong ka mariang. Ka jingĩada ĩa ki khlaw bad ki mrad khlaw ka la ĩaid jngai bah shaduh ka por jong ka *Yajur Veda*”.

“Ka jingĩada jong ka Jylla bad ka jingpynshitom ba pyrkhing bha na ka bynta ka jingpynjot pynsniew ĩa ki khlaw bad ka jingpynĩap, ka jingriam bad ka jingpynsalia ĩa ki mrad khlaw la tyrwa ha ka *Kautalya's Arth Shatra* (321-296 B.C.). Wat ka Constitution ne ka riti synshar jong ka ri India ha ki *Article* 48 bad 15A ka la buh ka jingĩada bad ka jingpynneh pynsah ĩa ki khlaw ki btap bad ĩa ki mrad ki mreng, ki sim ki doh, bad ruh ka thymmei jong ki wahbah bad wahrit ruh”.

“Na ka bynta ban ĩoh ka mariang kabakoit bakhiah, ka ri ka donkam ban don la kumno kumno 33 na ka shispah jong ka jingheh jong kabaroĥ kawei ban tap da ki lawbah lawsan bad ki ‘Lawbniap. Ka ri India ka don tang 22 na ka shispah jong ki bynta ba tap da ki khlaw ki btap ha ka snem 1994. La ngeit ba wat na ka 22 na ka shispah ruh kam don shuh mynta. Ki *expert* ki ĩapher jingmut halor kane. Ka jingheh ka long kham duna ban ĩa kane. Hynrei ki kot Sorkar ki pyni ba ka don 22 na ka shispah. Ka jingbuh jingkheĩn kaba kham dei ka long kumba 17 na ka shispah. Ka jingpynjulor ba dang shen ba la pynjia da ki Skiah (*Sal borers*) kan nang pynrit shuh shuh ĩa ka jingheh jong ka”.

“Kam long tang kaba pynlyngngoh hynrei ka long ruh kaba pynshaĥong ba wat haba la dep don ka jingbuh jingthoh ĩa ka jingshisha ba ki Skiah (*Sal borers*) ka jingktah jong ki kaba long kum ka khlam bad saphriang kylleng ka ju jia hapteng man ka 25 snem bad 30 snem ym don ka jingleh kaba jur ban khang ne ĩada na ka, ne ban pynlong ĩa kata ka jingktah jong ki Skiah tang ha kawei ka kyntoit. Kane ka jingpang khlam ka la trei tyngheh bha ha ki snem 1924-26 bad 1962-65. Hynrei ka jingwad bniah (*research*) ha kane ka liang ka la long kum kaer kaer kaba lah ban klet. Ka jingpynkhiah ba tang kawei ba ka *Forest Department* ka tip ban ĩada ĩa ka jingsaphriang jong kane ka jingpang ka long ban khet ne pom noĥ ĩa kito ki dieng ba la kem pang, ki *Contractor* bym don ka jingĩatiplem, ki pom bun bha ki dieng kĩba koit ba khiah ruh, wat ĩa kĩwei pat ki ĩaid dieng ki bym dei ki dieng *Sal* ruh”.

“Ka Sorkar ka la buh bun ĩaid ki *agencies* (ki kynja ophis) ban ai ka jingĩada na kane ka jingma. Hynrei kine ki *agencies* khamtam ka *Environmental Investigation Agency (EIA)* kam pat shym la leh ei ei ruh. ĩa ka *EIA* la kynnoĥ jur ĩa ka jinglehklet, ka jingsngewhun bad ka jingbymtreikam jong ka. Nangta don sa ka *Indian Board for Wildlife* ka bym pat ju ĩakynduh wat tang shisien ruh ha ki khyndiat snem ba la lah. Ka la ĩakynduh dang shen namar ka jingĩapyrshah jong ki paidbah bad ki rieweid ĩa ka mariang”.

“Ka jingkylli kaba khraw kaba don hakĥmat jong ka Sorkar ka long lada kan trei shisha ban pynsah pynneh ĩa ki khlaw ki btap bad ban pynim ĩa ki mrad ki mreng lane kan shah ba ki khlaw ki btap kin duĥ kin dam noĥ ryngkat bad ka ĩaiphew mrad ĩaiphew mreng. Lehse kan sa leh ĩa kaba donkam lada kan ĩoh por ban ring bad pynhiar mynsiem na ka jingĩaleĥ election shiteng samoi kaba jia man la ka por bad ka rukom ĩasynrop lang ki seng saĩĩ hima sima ba don ha ki rukom treikam bapher bapher tang ban ĩoh thaw Sorkar”.

La sot ĩa kane ka bynta na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor, “*The Shillong Times*” ha ka 1.3.1998 ba ka sla 3 halor ka *heading* “*Tiger not yet out of the woods*” ĩa kaba la thoh da u Raj Gill.

“Tokyo: Kane ka lah ban long ka snem jong ki Khla katkum ka kot tarik kheif bnai, hynrei kiei kiei kim long kiba bha ha kine ki por mynta ia u Khla hapoh khlaw”.

“U Khla u la don lypa ha ka *list* jong ki jaid mrad ba don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duhjaed. U Khla u la nangjah rngai kham kloï, shi bynta namar ka jingiai pyndonkam ia ki dkhot met jong u ha kaba shna ia ki dawai Asia ba tynrai”.

“Ki nong Japan, kumba ai nuksa, ki long hapdeng kiba heh duh ia ka jingpynmih ba la shna na ki dkhot met jong u Khla, kiba lah ban long naduh ka *Wine* (ka jaid kiad ba lam thiang) bad ki kuli dawai ba la shna na ki shyieng Khla haduh ka syrwa ba la shet lang bad ka tiar jinglong shynrang jong u Khla”.

“Ka ri Japan ka long kaba la yasoi ia ka jingiateh kular ha ka jingialang jong ki ri ka pyrthei halor ka jingkhafi na kawei ka ri sha kawei pat ka ri ia ki mrad ki mreng bad ki syntiew ki skud kiba la don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid ia kaba la tip kum ka “*Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES)*”, kaba la khang pyrshah ia ka jingkhafi pateng ia ki Khla bad ia ki dkhot met jong u Khla lymda la ai bor ba kyrpang da ka *CITES*. Hynrei ki thliw ki syar (*Loopholes*) ne ki jingduna ba don ha ki aifi ki kanun jong ka shnong ka thaw ne ka kyntoit ka la pynlong ia ka ri Japan ban long ka jaka die kaba pyniohng tam ia ki nongkhafi ia ki dkhot met jong u Khla”.

“Hadien da ki snem ka jingiai-pyrshang ban pynsangeh ia ka jingdie jingthied ia ki dkhot met jong u Khla ha Japan, ngi khlem long kiba jop”, la phla u Hisako Kivono jong ka kynhun ba ki khot “*Watchdog Group Trade Records Analysis of Flora and Fauna in Commerce*”.

“Hapoh ka Ginza District ba pawnam jong ka nongbah Tokyo, ia ki tiar long shynrang jong ki Khla la die ha ka dor kaba rem bha kaba haduh \$400 dollar (ha ka tyngka America) uwei ia uba la fiw ba u long uba bha tam ban pynjem ia ka jingpang mat. Ia ki tiar jinglong shynrang jong ki Khla la shet syrwa ia ki bad sa ai ha ki briew ba thied ia kiban dih ia kata ka syrwa”.

“U Tora Hogo Kikin u la iathuh ba don ki nongwan thied ba thikna man ka por ha ki dukan ba don ha Ginza kiba die ia ki jingpynmih ba la shna na ki dkhot met jong ki Khla. Hynrei ki trai dukan, ha ka jinglakren (*Interview*) na ka bynta ban thoh ha ki kot khubor da ka kynhun ba peit pyrman ia ka jingiadie iathied ia ki dkhot met jong ki Khla, ki la iathuh ba ia ki *ingredients* (ki bynta ba la khleh lang ban shna ia ka jingpynmih jong ki) kiba kynthup ruh ia ki dkhot met jong u Khla, dei kiba ki la thied nabar ri hashwa ba ka jingiatehkular jong ki ri ka pyrthei kan sdang ban treikam (bad kata ka long ban khang pyrshah ia ka jingkhafi ia ki Khla bad ia ki dkhot met jong ki Khla)”.

“Ka *CITES*, ia kaba la tip ruh kum ka *Washington Convention*, ka la khang pyrshah ia ka jingkhafi pateng ia u Khla bad ia ki dkhot met jong u naduh u snem 1973. Ka ri Japan ka la long ka nongiasoi teh kular ha ka snem 1980, hynrei haduh mynta kam pat iasnokhti bad kiwei ruh ki seng jong ki ri ka pyrthei kiba ialeh shitom ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Khla”.

“Ka jingbuh jingkheifi ia ka jingdon jong ki Khla ha baroh shityllup ka pyrthei ka long 100,000 tylli ha kaba sdang kane ka spah snem. Hynrei na kane, ki la sdang ban duna bad hiar bha haduh ba ki don sa tang hapdeng 5000 tylli bad 7,500 tylli ha kine ki sngi namar ka jingpynjot pathar ia ki khlaw ki btap, kiba long ki iing ki sem ne ki jaka shong jaka sah ba tynrai jong ki Khla bad kumjuh ka jingiai pyniap bajur ia ki Khla namar ki dkhot met ba rem jong ki”.

“Ka ri India ka don kumba 3000 tylli ki Khla. Hynrei ki nongtāleh ban pynneh pynsah ki ong ba ka jingbeh mrad ba be-aiñ ãa ki Khla ka dang don haduh mynta hapoh ri India.

“Kumba long kiwei pat ki nongtāleh ha kylleng ka Asia, kɨ kynhun jong ki nongtāleh ban pynneh pynsah ha ri Japan ki la shim kabu ãa u snem 1998 namar ba u long, “U snem jong ki Khla” ban pynsaphriang ãa ka jingsngewthuh shaphang ka jinglong bakhim khait jong u Khla heh”.

“Ka tnad treikam jong ka *World Wide Fund for Nature (WWF)* kaba don ha ri Japan ka la ãasnohkti lang ha ka jingleit pynbna bad pynsaphriang ha kylleng sawdong jong ka ri Japan, kaba la lah ban khriang ãa ka jingnoh synñiang pisa na kɨ lai tylli kɨ Kompani ba kongsan kiba don ka ktien “Khla” ha la ki kyrteng bapher jong kine ki Kompani”.

“U Riewaiñ Masayuki Sakamoto, uba la pyntbit kyrpang ãalade ha kaban ãada ãa ki jaid mrad ba don jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid, u la ãai ãaleh ban pynsngewthuh ãa ka Sorkar Japan ba kan thaw ãa ki aiñ ba thymmai kiban khang pyrshah ãa ka jingkhaiñ pateng ãa ki jingpynmih ba la shna da kaba khleh lang bad kɨ dkhot met jong ki mrad kiba la don ha tmier jong kɨ jingduhjaid, kaba kynthup ruh ãa kɨ Khla”.

“Ila ka snem 1994 ka *Health and Welfare Ministry*, ka la khang pyrshah ãa ka jingwanrah shapoh ka ri ãa ki mar ba la pynmih bad shna na kɨ dkhot met jong kɨ mrad ba la ãada da ka aifi kum kɨ Khla”.

“Kan don hi barabor ka lad ka lyntɨ da ki buit thok ban kiar na ki aiñ ki kanun katba neh ka rukom synshar ba mynta. Kumba uwei na kɨ nongtāleh ban pynneh pynsah u la bynñiaw ha uwei na kɨ nongthoh kot Khubor, “Lada kiei kiei baroh kin sah kumba kɨ la ju long, yn ym don shuh ki Khla khlaw ha ka snem ban wan pat ka snem jong u Khla, kata sa khadar snem naduh mynta”.

“Kɨ nongtāleh ban pynneh pynsah kɨ la ong ba ka long ka jingkren mynthi ne kren lyngkut (*Ironic*) ba ka dei ka China kaba long ka thymmet ba kongsan tam kaba shna ãa ki jingpynmih jong ka na kɨ dkhot met jong u Khla, kaba la khang pyrshah ãa ka jingtādie ãathied ãa kiba kum kita ki jaid mar khaiñ”.

“Ka *Health and Welfare Ministry* ka la ãasaid nia ba kɨ jingpynmih kiba pyndonkam ãa ki dkhot met jong ki Khla bad kiwei pat ki mrad ba don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid ha kaba khadduh kin sa jah hi na kɨ ãew ki hat namar ka jingkhang pyrshah ban wanrah ãa kiba kum kita ki mar nabar ri. Ka jingbthah ba la buh da ka Sorkar ruh kaban jur ãa kɨ nongdie khutia ãa kɨ dawai tynrai bad ãa ki nongshna ãa ki dawai tynrai ba kim dei ban theid nabar ri ãa ki jingpynmih ba la shna lang bad ka dkhot met jong ki Khla”.

“Hynrei ka jingkhaiñ tuh” u Kiyono u la ong, “Ka jinglap ãa ki dkhot met ba bun bah jong ki Khla ha ri Japan ka pyni shai kdar ba haduh mynta ym pat don kano kano ka jingkylla hangne. Nalor kata, ka jingtāpyndonkam ba nang kham jur ãa ki kynbat dawai China ka la pynlong ãa ka jingtnei jong ngi kaba kham shitom”.

“Ha ka snem 1996 ka la don ka jingleit jngoh ãa ki 26 tylli ki dukan ba die ãa ki dawai tynrai bad la lap ba 20 tylli na ki, ki la die ãa ki shyieng Khla. Kane ka kynhun ba la leit jngoh ka la ai jingtip ruh ba 14 tylli na kine ki dukan ki la die ãa ki dawai ba la shna lang bad ki shyieng Khla khlem

da don ka shap ne ka *seal* ba la dei ban buh katkum ka jingdonkam ba la buh da ka *Voluntary Registration System* ta kaba la thung da ka *Health and Welfare Ministry*".

Ya kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot Kot khubor "*The Shillong Times*" ha ka 9 tarik u bnai *February* 1998 ha ka sla ba ar halor ka heading "*Japan the most lucrative market for Tiger trades*".

"Ha ka step kaba ka jingkhriat ka ngam shaduh ki shyieng, *12 degree below zero* bad ka ior ka dang hap na suiif bneng, nga la peit lyngba ka dorbin (*Binocular*) jong nga. Ba dem thiah halor madan kaba jngai 180 *metre* u dei uwei na ki jingthaw ba itynnad tam jong ka mariang, U Khla Siberia (*Siberian Tiger*). Ka pansngiat ba da ka ior ba neh halor ka shyllangmat baheh, bad ba thoh khyrwang jong u, bad ki khmat ksia ba phymai ba i maiif syiem".

"Hangne, ha ka jaka ba sha kyndong bha jong ka *Russia Far East*, shaphang shatei jong ka kad jhad jong ka Vladivostok ha ka duriaw kaba ki khot *Sea of Japan*, ka long ka jaka kaba khadduh eh ha sla pyrthei ha kaba u Khla Siberia u iaid u ieng hapoh khlaw. Teng teng la khot ia u, u Khla ior (*Snow tiger*), u dei u jaid Khla ba heh tam ha ka pyrthei, u khia haduh 360 kilo, bad u klong snam jong nga u tied sted da ka jingkmnen haba une uwei u la ieng bad sdang ban iaid suki jai kumban thap mrad".

"Kum ka miaw ba ri ha ting, u Khla u la kyrshut ia ki ngap ba sop da u shniuh halor ka met jong u diengbah. Nangta kynsan kynsan u la sma ia ka lyer bad u la tur pyrshah sha nga ha ka jingstet kaba iphylla. Ki kjat ba heh jong u ki la pynlwet ia ka ior katba u dang syntuid ba u la ialeh ban sangeh sa tang kumba katto katne *metre* ei ei hajan jong ka jingker ban iada kaba la ai ding *electric* kaba ker sawdong jong kane ka khlaw buh tyngkai ia ki Khla. U la pynran shadien ia ki rymmian shyntur jong u ban pynpaw ia ki bniat kiba heh bad ba nep, u la kyrhuh kumban pan ialeh. Wat la ka don kane ka jingker ba pynfakhlad, nga la kylla dur ha ka jingtieng".

"Nga la ithuh ia u naduh ba u dang long tang u khun Khla (*cub*), hynrei wat nga ruh ngam shlan ban rung hapoh lem bad u", la ong u paralok jong nga, u Russian *Biologist* u Victor Yudin."

"U Yudin u long u wei na ki dkhot jong ka kynthun ki *scientists* jong ka ri America bad ri Russia kiba itatreilang ban pynneh pynsah bad ban pyllait im ia ki Khla Siberia. Shisien, da ki hajar kine ki Khla ki iaid ki ieng bad shang ia ki khlaw jong ka *Eastern Russia* bad ia ka *Far North* jong ka ri China bad ri Korea. Mynta, kham duna ia ka 500 tylli ki dang sah hapoh ki khlaw – ia baroh la buh ha jingma da ka jingpynjot ia ki khlaw ki btap bad da ka jingpynfap klep".

"Ia ki snieh jong ki Khla ior (*snow tiger*) la wah rong ia ki ha ki ting ki sem jong ki nong Russia ba riewspah. Ia ki dkhot met, la flew ba ki long ki dawai ba khlaif, da ki nong China, la pyndonkam ban pynkoit ia ki jingpang ba at ha ki mat (*Arthritis*) haduh ka jingpang bymlah ban iapoikha (*Impotence*) namar u Khla u long kum ka nuksa ba pyni ia ka jingkhlaif ha ka jingiapoikha poiman, ka jingiapoikha khah khah bad ba bunsien ha ka shisngi ha ka por iapoikha kaba neh saw ne san sngi. Ki nongpynfap klep ki die ia ka met iap jong u Khla \$20,000 (ha ka tyngka America -kaba iaryngkat kumba Rs.7,00,000 lakh ha ka tyngka India) - kaba long ka jingdonbok kaba khraw ha ri Russia mynta".

"Lynda ngim ialeh shitom bha ban pyllait im ia ki Khla Siberia, ki lah ban jah mgai noh shen", la ong u Howard Quigley, u President jong ka *Hornocker Wildlife Institute*, kaba dei ka

*American Research Center* kaba pyntbit kyrpang ban pyllait im Ia ki jaid Khla heh kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduhjaid”.

### KA JINGWAD IA KA OLGA

“Na kane ka jingeh kaba khim khait la kha Ia ka *Siberia Tiger Project*, ka jingfaleh ban pynneh pynsah ba la Ia snoh kti lang da ka *Hornocker Wildlife Institute* bad ki nong Russia. U *General* ba dei peit Ia kane ka jingfaleh u dei u *Biologist* uba heh ba sngaid, u Dale Miquelle. Ka *Headquater* jong u ka don ha Terney kaba long ka shnong khwai dohkha kaba don ha khappud jong ka *Sikhote-Alin Biosphere Reserve*. Ka jaka ba iar 4040 *square kilometers* jong ki nan ba la tap da u thah, ki lumbah ba la tap da ka Ior bad ki dieng khlaw ba la tymmen ki long ki Iing ne jaka shong jong ki Khla Siberia, kumjuh ruh ki jait Khla rit ba la khot *Lynx* ha ka ktien Phareng, ki Dngiem ba bthuh (*brown bears*) bad ki Suri (*Wolves*)”.

“Ban thaw Ia ka programme ban pyllait im, u Miquelle u la tip lypa ba u hap ban Ioh kem im la kumno kumno shiphew tylli ki Khla, bad teh Ia u *radio collar* ha ki bad ban buddien Ia ka jingfaid jingfeng jong ki – kaba long ka bynta ba kongsan khnang ban Ioh jingtip Ia ka jingbun jong ki Khla bad ban pynthikna haduh katno ka jingheh ka jaka shong jaka sah ne ka khlaw ba ki donkam. Ki *biologists* kiba artatien, ki ngeit ba ki Khla Siberia ki long kiba lehraiñ bieit bad kiba faleh ban kiar, kumta ka long kaba eh ba kane ka *Project* kan long kaba jop. U Miquelle u la kut jingmut ban pynshisha ba ki long kiba bakla”.

“Saw taiew ba u Miquelle u la poi ha ka snem 1992, u nongbeh mrad u la iathuh ba u la lap Ia ka met ba la dep bam shiteng na ka doh jong ka jaid Sier heh ba ki khot *Elk* ha ka ktien Phareng hajan Terney. U Miquelle u la her kloï lan sha ka jaka phlang bad u la lap Ia ka metiap ba la ker sawdong da ki dienjat Khla hynrei ym don Khla”.

“Hadien san sngi nangta ki jaid sim ba Iong ba Ia syriem bad ka tyngab Ia kaba la khot *Raven* ha ka ktien Phareng ki la her pyllun pyllun ha suiñ bneng ka la Ialam sha ka jaka Iap jong uwei pat u jaid Sier heh (*Elk*), ka met jong u ka dang syaid. U Miquelle u la buh Ia ki jingriam. Ha ka step kaba bud ma u bad u Quigley ki la lap Ia i khun Khla kynthei ba shisnem ka rta ba i dang faleh ban lait, ka kjat jong ka, ka la ngat ha ka jingriam”.

“La siat da u thyrnia ba don bad ka dawai *tranquillizer*, ka Khla ka la thiah jar katba u Miquelle u la pyndait Ia u *radio collar* halor u ryndang jong ka. U la trei sted bha, namar ba u tieng Ioh ka kmie jong ka khun Khla kan dait Ia ki lada kan wanphai biang; khadduh, la thew Ia ka jingkhia jong ka khun Khla bad Ia ka nongmuna snam bad *tissue* (ki bynta ba tynrai ba la tei da ki *cell* ba don ha ki jingthung bad ha ki mrad) la shim na ka bynta ka jingiit bniah ba ki khot *genetic analysis*”.

“Ngi la jer kyrteng Ia ka, ka “Olga”, la iathuh u Miquelle. Naduh kata ka sngi ka la buh dak Ia ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ka la kha shibun tylli ki khun Khla”.

### KA JINGLEITWAD JINGBAM

“Ha ka snem 1998 u Miquelle bad u Brat Schleyer, uba long u *Wildlife Biologist* uba la pule Ia ki jaid Dngiem ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Grizzly Bears*, ki dang buddien Ia ka Olga bad sa phra tylli ki Khla ba la pyndait *radio collar* ha ryndang jong ki. “Ha kane ka sngi u Schleyer bad nga ngi la leit ban buddien Ia ki Khla. Katba dang Iaid da kaba par Ia kawei ka jaka ba sharing, u la bat Ia

u *antenna* kham jngai na ka met jong u. U *receiver* u la sawa bad neh kajuh, nangta la mih biang ka jingsawa na ki lum ba shaphang sepgni”.

“U dei u Zheny, uwei na ki Khla shynrang jong ngi”, la ong u Schleyer. “U don kumba 500 *metre* na ngi”. U Schleyer u la buh dak ãa ka jingãaid jong u Zheny hynrei u khlem leit kham shajan. Shisien, u la bud ãa u Zheny da ka jingleh buit, u la duh noh ãa ka jingsawa hajan ka thiep ba jrong bha, hadien katto katne *minute* ka la wan ka jingsawa kaba jur bha. U Zheny u la don tang kumba 30 *meter* shakhmat. U Khla ba khia 198 *kilo* u dang dem halor ka met ãap jong uwei u jaid Sier (*Elk*), u la kyrhuh ban maham ãa u Schleyer shajngai na ka jingbam jong u. “Nga la phet noh”, u la ong.

“Ka jingbuddien ãa ki Khla Siberia da ki tiar *electronic* ka la pyni ba ka jingãar ka jaka ba ki donkam ka kham heh bun shah ban ãa kaba la khmih lynti. “Ka jingãar ka jaka u Khla shynrang ha ri Nepal, ha ka jaka kaba ki mrad ki dang jyillei bha, ka long kumba 55 *sq kms*. La batai u Miquelle”. “Hynrei u Khla Siberia shynrang u ãaid ap pahara ãa ka jaka bym sngew lah ngeit kaba ãar haduh 1000 *sq. kms*, ban apthap ãa ki Sier heh (*Elk*) bad ãa ki Sniang khlaw na ka bynta ka doh ba 4.5 *kilo* ba donkam man ka sngi”. Wat ka pud ba kham rit jong ki Khla kynthei ruh ka ãar haduh kumba 450 *sq. kms*”.

“Hadien ar sngi pat ngi la ãoh ãa ka *signal* jong u Zheny kaba jngai 40 *meter*. Ka jingaidak ka la wan na ka sharing khlaw kaba khongngoid ãa ka Terney, ka bym da jngai na ka jaka ba don ar ngut ki tymmen kynthei kiba dang ãakren kai. U Schleyer u la phuh samrkhie. Kine kin nym tip briew shuh lada ki tip ba u Zheny u la don hajan bha”.

### SAW TYLLI KI KHLA

“Ka jingbuddien lyngba ka *Radio Tracking* ka la ãalam ãa u Miquelle sha kawei na ka apot sniew kaba khraw tam jong ka *Siberian Tiger Project* bad ki jingjop. La bun sngi u la khuslai na ka bynta ka Khla kynthei ba khia 110 *kilo* kaba kyrteng ka Lena, ka Khla kaba la pyndait *collar* ha ryndang ba nyngkong eh ban kha khun. Ka jingaidak na ka *Collar* jong ka, ka pyni ba ka khlem khieh la bun sngi bah. Ka jingaidak ka la ãalam ãa u Miquelle sha ka jaka kaba kyndong bha ãa kaba u la lap ãa u *collar* jong kane ka Khla heh. Ka pynpaw ba ãa ka Lena la dep pynãap da u nongpynãap klep”.

“Harud lynti, saw tylli ki khun jong ka Lena, kiba heh kat ka miaw ba ki khot *bobcat* ha ka ktien Phareng, ki dang ãa ap ba ka kmie jong ki kan wanphai ban aidud ne bsa ãa ki. Haba u Miquelle u la pyrshang ban kem ãa ki, ki la jah shapoh khlaw. U *Biologist* u la leit phai sha Terney, da ka jingkhuslai shaphang ka nusib jong ki. Ki khun Khla kin ãap kloï ha ka ãor khlem ka kmie jong ki. Hynrei lada lah ban pyllait im ãa ki, kin hap ban pynlut ãa ka jingim jong ki hapoh byndi.”

“U Miquelle u la leit thiah da ka jingngeit ba ka mariang kan rai ãa ka nusib jong ki khun Khla, hynrei mynstep u la tip ba u dei ban pyllait im ãa ki khun ka Lena. U la leit phai biang bad khadar ngut ki nongãarap”.

“Hadien ar kynta, ki la ãoh kem ãa ki khun Khla. Kham hadien, ar tylli ki ãap noh na ka daw ka jingpang pateng, hynrei ki shijur kiba im – ka kynthei la jer kyrteng ka Lena ha ka kyrteng ka kmie jong ka, bad u shynrang la kyrteng Khuntami – la phah ãa ki sha ki zoo ba don ha ri America. Hangta, ki don ka bynta ba kordor ban leh ha kaban pynneh ãa u phniang u symbai (*gene pool*) jong ki Khla Siberian ba la ri ha ki zoo”.

## KA JINGPYNKHA BA ĬAKHLAD

“Ha Gayvoro, kaba don 300 kilometer shaphang shathei lam sepngi jong ka Terney, u *biologist* Vector Yudin u la ĭalam ĭa nga sha ka jaka buh Khla kaba la ker bad heh shi *hectare* hadien ka ĭing jong u, ha kaba u pule bniah bad sumar ĭa ki Khla Siberia ba la ĭoh pyllait im. Lai snem mynshwa u Yudin u la ri pynneh pynsan ĭa uwei u khun Khla ba la ĭehnoh da ka kmie jong u da kaba ai dud ĭa u lyngba u klong dud. U brieve bad u khun khla, ba kyrteng Globus, ki la long ki bym lah ban ĭakhlad. Ki ĭalehkai ban ĭabat ĭakem bad ban ĭalympat ha ka ĭor”.

“Hadien ba ki la dap shisnem, ki khun Khla ba la ri ki kylla long kiba ĭajan bha bad ki brieve, kumta, ki shaniah lut ha ki brieve na ka bynta ka jingbam, kumta kin nym lah ban im hapoh khlaw”, la ong u Yudin. “Namarkata ha ka snem 1996 u la ai ĭa u Khla Siberia ba u ĭeid bha sha ka *Minnesota Zoo*”.

“Tang hapoh kyndiat sngi hadien, nga la leit jngoh ĭa u Globus. U la long shi bynta na ka *plan* ban pynneh pynsah bad pynim ĭa kine ki jaid Khla, ka jingĭatrei lang da ki *North American Zoos* ban pyllait im bad pynneh pynsah ĭa ki mrad ba don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid da kaba pynkharoi pat ĭa ki ha ki jaka ba la ri bad buh ĭa ki (*by captive breeding*) bad ban peit bniah ĭa ka bha ka miat jong ki hangta”.

“Ka jingkyrmen kaba bha tam ĭa kine ki Khla Russia ba itynnad, la ong u Miquelle, ka long ban ĭada ĭa ki bad ĭa ki jaka sah jaka shong jong ki ha ki khlaw Siberia. Hynrei lada jia kano kano ka jingshah pynjot ĭa ki Khla ba ĭaid laitulid, ki Khla ba dang khie dang san ba la pynkha hapoh ki *zoo*, kiba kynthup ĭa ki khun ki kti u Globus ki lah ban ai ĭa ka *genetic insurance policy* pyrshah ĭa kaba kin long kiba la duh jaid”.

“U Kathy Traylor Holzer u la ong, “Ngi pynshongkha ĭa ki Khla ba kin kha tang shi dorjon ki khun Khla ha ka shisnem hapoh North America, kumta ngi long kiba phikir bha ĭano ngi jied. Namar u Globus u long uba ĭeng na ka bynta ka *genetic line* ba thymmai na khlaw, u long u Khla Siberia shynrang ba donkam tam ha North America”.

“Ka Khla kynthei kaba donkam tam ha kane ka programme ka dei ka Lena, ka khun khla ba la pyllait im u Miquelle uba la pynshong ĭing ĭa ka mynta ha Indianapolis. Hadien shwa ban kut ka taiew, nga la peit ba ka Lena kaba la hynriew snem ka rta ba ka ĭaid suki jai kum kaba don ka jingkwah kaba jur, da kaba ĭaid talawiar ĭa u paralok shynrang jong ka, u Dshingis”.

“Katba nang wan kham shajan, ka la pyrsad ĭa nga, ki khmat rong ksiar jong ka ki meh ding da ka jingdom. Ka shri ban pypaw ĭa ki bniat ba heh bad ba nep har har jong ka, ka la dem ha kata ka rukom kumban kynrup, ka la long kaba kloĭ ban trei noh. Ka pyni shai kdar, ba ka mynsiem riwkhlaw jong ka, ka dang pluh rhem bha hapoh jong ka”.

La sot ĭa kane ka bynta na ka jingthoh ba la thoh da u Paul Raffaele ĭa kaba la pynmih ha ka *Reader Digest* jong u bnai *August*, 1998 halor ka heading “*Saving the Snow Tiger*” na ka sla 154 haduh ka sla 160.

*N.B.* Ka dur ka dar jong ki khla Siberia ka ĭasyriem bha bad ki Khla Wahlarein ne ki ‘Lakhyrwang hynrei, ki kham heh ĭa ki ‘La khyrwang.

### 12.3 Ki Driver kim salia ia ka jingim ki mrad.

“DUDHWA (UP), December 21, 1998 (PTI): Ha ka tlang mynshem snem, ia ka met ba la shah tylliati jong ka Khla la lap ha ka jaka pdeng jong ka khlaw tyngkai mrad. La tylliati ia ka da ka rel kitmar kaba her sted bha. Ka jingim jong ki mrad kaba kynthup ia kiba bun ki mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid ki don ha ka jingma hapoh ka *Dudhwa National Park* ha ka Jylla Uttar Pradesh, kaba long kawei na ki khlaw buh tyngkai ia ki, kaba heh tam ha khappud jong ka ri India bad ri Nepal, namar ki rel ba jur ka jingpynher sted bad ka surok kali ki ia id lyngba ka jaka pdeng jong kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad”.

“Kumba ar tylli ki mrad ki shah pyniap man ka bnai ha ki rel ne ki Kali, ki lah ban long kiei kiei naduh ka tyrpud ne tyrpit (*Monitor Lizard*) haduh u Skei kdait ne u Skai tyrkhang (*Lesser deer*) wat haduh u Khla”, la ia tuh u Rupak De, uba long u *Field Director* jong ka *Dudhwa National Park*”.

“Tang ha une u snem ba la dep, ngi la duh ia ka Khla, U Hati, ar tylli ki Miaw khlaw ba bam dohkha (*Fishing Cats*) bad ka *Crocodile* ne u Blir, nalar kiwei pat ki mrad ba rit ha ka jingshah tylliati ha ki rel”, u la ong bad u la nangbteng shuh shuh, “Ha ka snem ba la dep, kawei ka Dngiem ba ki khot *Sloth Bear* ka la shah tylliati ha kawei ka rel kit briew”.

“Ha ka shisngi, khadwei tylli ki rel kiba kynthup ia ki san tylli ki rel kitmar, ki ia id lyngba ka *Conda Bavelly Meter Gauge line* lyngba ka khlaw tyngkai mrad hapdeng ka Belraiyan bad ka Dudhwa, kaba kynthup ia ka jingjai kaba 27 kilometers. Wat la ngi lah ban ia da kham bha na ka jingpyniap klep ia ki mrad, kaba long hi ka jingma kaba khraw ia ki mrad ba im hangne, ka jingshyrkhei bad ka jingma na ki rel bad ki kali ba la kham pynking khlieh ia ngi, nalar ka jingshah tylliati ki mrad ki jingpluh ki khlaw ba bun bha la pynlong ia ki man ka snem na ka daw ka jingleh klet jong ki nongleit nongwan”, la bynñiaw u De.

“Wat la ka don ka speed limit ba 15kmph ban ia id ki rel bad ki kali hapoh ka khlaw tyngkai mrad, ki driver kim ju bud ia ka ha ka jingialeh jong kiban poi sha ka jaka ba ki dei ban leit hapoh ka por”.

“Ki driver kim don ka jingñiewkor ei ei ruh ia ki mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid kiba im hapoh kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad; kumta ki pynher sted ia ki rel, ki kali bad ai horn ne pynpah jur ia ki horn jong ki rel ne kali wat mynmiat ruh, kaba la pynher symgiev bad pynkulmar ia ki mrad”, la ong u De.

“Ki bor ba peit ia kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad bad kiba bun ki seng bhalang kaba kynthup ia ka *World Wildlife Fund's Tiger Conservation Programme* ki la thoh sha ki bor ba dei peit ia ki kam rel ban thaw lynti rel bad lynti kali shabar jong kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad”.

“Ka *Railways* ha ka snem 1994-95 ka la weng noh ar tylli ki lynti ba pyniasoh ia ka Chanda Chowki kiba ia id napoh kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad jong ka *main chanda line*. Hynrei, katkum u *Deputy Director* jong ka *DNP*, W. Longrah, ia kine ki lynti la weng noh ia ki namar kim shym la wanrah kano kano ka jingfohnong ia ka *railways* bad ym dei namar kano kano ka jingsngew ne ban ia da ia ki mrad khlaw”.

“Ar tylli ki lynti ruh ki ia id lyngba ka jaka pdeng jong kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad kaba pynwit bad pynkulmar ia kaba 16 percent jong kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad”.



“Kawei na ki 35 tylli ki Khla ba don hapoh kane ka khlaw tyngkai mrad la lap ba ka la lap ha ka lynti rel bad ka met jong ka kaba la tylliati lyngkhot lyngkhai ha u bnai *May* jong ka snem 1997 bad kiwei pat ki mrad kum ki Skei Ptet (*Spotted Deer*) bad ki ‘Lenlum (*Pythons*) la ioh jingtip ba ki shah pyniap man ka ngi pud”, la ong u Vijay Kumar Sinha, *District Forest Officer*.

La sot ia kane na ka kot khubor *The Meghalaya Guardian*, kaba la mih ha ka 22.12.1998, halor ka heading “*Vehicles devour animals in Dudhwa Park*” ha ka sla ba ar.

#### 12.4 Ka Sorkar Sikkim ka niewkor ia ki Khla.

“Gangtok (*from PTI*). - U jaid Khla uba kham niar ban lap ia uba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng “*Rare Himalayan Tiger*” la iohi ia u ha *Lagvay Reserved Forest* kaba don hapoh ka jylla Sikkim hadien bym iohi shuh ia une u jaid Khla la hynriew snem”

“La iathuh ba une u Khla u la pyniap ia uwei u Masidap hapoh ka khlaw kaba jngai kumba 10 km na Gangtok ha ka taiew ba khadduh u bnai *November 1995*”, la iathuh u *Divisional Forest Officer (Wildlife)*, Mr. C Lachumba.

“U Lachumba u la iathuh ia ka *PTI (Press Trust of India)* hadien ba u la iohsngew ia ka khubor na uwei u *Guard* jong ka *Himalayan Zoological Park* ba don hajan, ma u lem bad kiwei pat ki nongtrei Sorkar ki la leit sha katei ka *Reserved Forest* ha ka 29 tarik u bnai *November, 1998* bad ki la thew ia ki dienjat jong u Khla”

“Nga la iohi ia ka met iap kaba paw ba ka long kaba la ar ngi”, la ong u Lachungba. Ki khynnah sharai masi ba don ha kato ka jaka ki la iohi ba u Khla u leit sha ka jaka ba don ka umpohliw”, u la ong

“U *D.F.O* u la ong namar ba ka jingrong jong ka dienjat ka palat ia ka 12.5 cm, u la thikna ba u dei u Khla shynrang”.

“Ia u Khla la iohi khadduh eli ha kane ka thain ha u snem 1963”, u la iathuh.

“Ka *Forest Department* ka la maham ia ki briew lyngba ka *All India Radio* ban long kiba phikir bad ym dei ban pyniap ia u Khla”, la ong u *D.F.O* bad u hteng da kaba ong, “Ba ka paw ba une u mrad (Khla) u dang iaid shaphang ka *North District*”

“Ki Khla ha Sikkim barabor ki ju rung hapoh jylla na *West Bengal-Bhutan Border* ha ka *East District* bad iaid haduh ka *North District* jong ka thain Lachung, ka jingiaid kaba jngai kumba 200 km”, u la ong.

“U Lachungba u la kren na kaba u la pule ha ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka *Bombay Nature History Journal* ban ong ba don ka jingthoh ba ki Khla ki ju leit jngoh ia kane ka thain naduh ka snem 1924”.

“Ka *Forest Department* jong ka jylla Sikkim ka la sdang ban peit bniah ia ka jingiaid jong ki Khla hapoh ka jaka khlaw naduh ka snem 1977 bad ia ka jingwan jong ki Khla la iathuh ha u snem 1982 ha kaba lai tylli ki Masidap ki la shah pyniap”.

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“U *D.F.O.* u la ïathuh shuh ba ka *Forest Department* ka la tyrwa ban siew buria kum ka jingsngewlem, ym namar ba dei ban leh kumta sha kito kiba shah dait Khla. Ki bahaïing jong kiba ïap dait Khla kin ïoh shi Lak tyngka, kiba shah pynmysaw kin ïoh 30,000 tyngka, katba ki trai jong ki jingri ba shah pynïap ha u Khla kin ïoh hapdeng 12,000 tyngkabad 15,000 tyngka hadien ba la pyndep lut nadong shadong ïa kiei kiei ba dei ban leh”.

Ïa kane la sot na ka Kot Khubor “*The Shillong Times*” kaba mih ha ka 15.12. 1998, ha ka sla 3 halor ka heading “*Rare Himalayan Tiger Spotted in Sikkim*”. La thoh khnang hangne ïa kane ban pyni ba haduh katno ka Sorkar ha ka jylla Sikkim ka kheiñ kordor ïa ki Khla.

## 12.5 Ki Khla ki la nang kham jan sha ka jingduh jaid ban ïa kaba ju pyrkhat mynshwa.

### KA TA PHRAYA NATIONAL PARK, THAILAND

Ki *camera* ring dur ki la pynpaw ïa kaei kaba ki nongïaleh ban pynneh pynsah ki la sheptieng la slem. Uwei na ki mrad ba itynnad tam ka ri Asia, u Khla, u la nang kham jan sha ka jingjah ngai na sla ka pyrthei ban ïa kaba la ju pyrkhat mynshwa”.

“Ki nongïaleh ban pynsah pynneh la slem bah ki la maham ba ka jingbeh mrad bad ka jingpynduh noh ïa ka khlaw ka btap ka buh ïa ki Khla kato ka thaiñ ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid. Mynta, ka *New York Based Wildlife Conservation Society* ka dang pynlong ïa ka jurip ban lap haduh katno kane ka jingma ka don”.

“Kaba pynduh jingkyrmen ïa ki *Scientist* ka long ka jingmih na ka jingsdangtrei jong ki. Kaba pynpaw ïa ka jinghiar palat ban ïa kaba ki khmih lynti ha ka jingdon jong ki Khla heh ha *South East Asia*”.

“U nongïalam na ka bynta kane ka *Project* ha Thailand u dei u Tony Lynam, uba long u *Zoologist* na Perth jong ka ri Australia. Haduh ar snem u la ïaid kylleng ki khlaw ban wad ïa ki jaka ba ïaid ki Khla bad ban lum thup ïa ki jingshisha na ki trai shnong”.

“Ka jingwad bniah jong u, lyngba kumba 30 tylli ki *camera* ba la buh ha synduk bym lait ka um ban rung bad la wah ha ki dieng ha jan khyndew ha ki lynti ba la tharai ba ki khla ki pyndonkam ban ïaid”.

“Kawei pa kawei ka *camera* ka pynmih ïa ka *Infra-Red beam*; man ka por haba don ei ei ba pynkah ïa kane ka *Infra-Red Beam*, ka shon dur hi. Ïa kane ka buit la pyndonkam nyngkong ha India, ka ai ka jingbatai ba bniah bad shai bha ïa ka khlaw bad ki mrad ki mreng ba don ha ka”.

“U Bah Lynam bad u nong Thailand uba long u nongïarap jong u ki la buh ïa ki *camera* ha kata ka rukom ba kin cover ne lah ban shondur ïa ka jaka khlaw ba ïar haduh 40 *sq.kms*. Hadien shi bnai ne hynriew taiew ki leit phai, ban shim ïa ki *camera* bad ban phah sait ïa ki *film*”.

“Ka long ka bynta kaba shongshit bha” la ïathuh u Bah Lynam. “Phim tip kaei kaba phi la yohi, ki lah ban dei ki Khla, lane ki lah ban dei shiphew tylli ki Diengkhied”.

“Ki dur ki long kiba ithiang ban peit ba la shon ïa ki khla ha ka por ba ki dang par sor sor kumba ki dang thap mrad tang ha ka shi *second* hashwa ba kan pynwit ka flash jong ka camera”.

“Ha kawei ka dur, ka jingmynsaw ba don ha ka met ba na krung jong u Khla ka paw. Ha kawei pat, u Khla u la don hajan bha ki *lens* jong ka *camera*, ba ka dur baroh kawei ka dap da ki shñiuh Khla ba tap ña ka met jong u bad ña ka jingthoh khyrwang kaba paw shai bha”.

“Hynrei ka khubor kaba sngewsih ka long wat la u Bah Lynam u don haduh 40 tylli ki dur jong ki Khla ki long pat tang ki dur jong ki hynriew tylli ki Khla, na ki saw tylli ki khlaw buh tyngkai baheh ña ki Khla ha ri Thailand”.

“Ka baje *alarm* ka ñai sawa jam” u la ong. “I a don kham khyndiat ki Khla ban ña kaba ngi la ju pyrkhat hapoh kito ki khlaw ka mut aïu ka long ba ki Khla ki la don shisha ha ka lynti ba kin duh noh na sla kane ka pyrthei”.

“Ym don uwei ruh uba tip sa katno tylli ki Khla ki dang sah hapoh ki khlaw jong ka *South East Asia*. Baroh kawei ka dewbah Asia la pyrkhat ba ka don sa tang 5000 tylli ki Khla, shiteng na kine hapoh India. Katno katne ki *expert* ki la ai jingkhreit ba uwei u Khla u tap man ka sngi”.

“Ka ri Thailand ka long ka pdeng jong ka jaka shong jong ki Khla ha ka pyrthei. Ha ka jingshisha ki la dei ban kham bun ha ka jaka pdeng. hynrei ha ka jingianujor bad ka ri India ka pynpaw ña kaei kaba long shisha”.

“Ha kawei ka khlaw tyngkai Khla ha Thailand kaba heh 200 *sq. kms.* ka kynhun jong u Bah Lynam ka la lap tang ña uwei u Khla. Don haduh 60 tylli ki Khla ha ka khlaw tyngkai Khla ba heh 640 *sq. kms.*”.

“Ka *That Royal Forestry Department* ka la treilang pura bad kane ka *project*. ña ki nongtrei jong ka ruh la dep ai jinghikai ban nang ñai bteng ña ka kam hadien ba ka kynhun jong u Bah Lynam ka la mih”.

“U Khla u long u nongkdew ña ka jinglong jong ka khlaw” la ong u Bah Viroj Pimmanrojnagool, uba long u *Department's Director of Wildlife Research*.

“Lada ngi dang don ki Khla, ka mut ba ki khlaw jong ngi ki long kiba dang riwspah ha ki mrad ki mreng ba bun jaid”.

“Ka daw ba kongsan na ka bynta ka jinghiar ka jingdon ki Khla ka long ka jingduh ña ki jaka shong jaka sah kiba long ki khlaw ki btap da ka jingkyntur bad skut jaka ki briew bad ka jingpyniap klep ña ki Khla ban pyniuh ña ki dkhot met u Khla na ka bynta ban shna ña ki dawai Asia ba tynrai”.

“Ki *expert* ki ñathuh ba ka khlaw kaba kham rit ña ka 85 *sq.kms.* kan ym lah ban kyrshan ña ki Khla. Namar ka jingnang pynheh ña ki jaka shong jaka sah bad ki lynti ki syngkien ki donkam ban pom khambun ki dieng, ña ki Khla la khñoit ban jah mgai noh”.

“Wat la dep khang pyrshah ka jingbeh mrad hapoh ki khlaw tyngkai mrad jong ka ri Thailand, ka long kaba jyillei bha. Na ka bynta kawei pa kawei ka jingshondur jong ki *camera* jong u Bah Lynam, don u Khla, ka Dngeim lane u Hati don sa kiwei pat u briew lane ka kynhun ki briew, kiba ñaid lyngba ka lawbah bad ki suloi ha ki kti. Katto katne ki dur ki pyni ba ki nongsiat mrad ki leit shapoh ka khlaw ha ka por mynstep khlem don ei ei ba ki rah bad ki wanphai ha ka por janmiet lem bad ki byrni kiba at bha”.

“Ka Ta Phraya National Park ka long ka bynta jong ka *Forest Complex* kaba iar napdeng ka Thailand shaphang lam mihngi haduh ka khappud bad ka ri Combodia. Ka la dei ban long ka jaka shong jaka sah ba paka jong ki Khla, hynrei kam long kumta”.

“Ha ka por kaba dang shen ba ki leit ban leit shim ia ki *camera*, u Bah Lynam bad ka kynhun jong u ki la lap ia ki jingriam kawei hadien kawei pat kaba kynthup ia ki jingriam ba la buh ban pynbthei ia u *Grenade*. Ki shipai Thailand ia kiba la buh ban iada ia u Bah Lynam ki la iathuh ba ki kam bymman bad ka jingbeh mrad ki long ki jingeh kiba khraw”.

“Ynda ia ka jingwad bniah yn lah ban pyndep hadien lai ne san snem, ka *World Conservation Society* kan sa ai jingmut sha ka Sorkar Thailand bad sha kiwei de ki Sorkar kiba don hapoh *South East Asia* halor kumno ban leh ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Khla”.

U Bah Lynam u la ong, “Ki khlaw ki donkam ban ioh ia ka jingiada”.

Ia kane la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor, “*The Shillong Times*”, kaba mih ha ka 12.12.1998, ha ka sla ba ar halor ka *heading* “*Tiger even closer to extinction than previously thought*”.

## 12.6 Ki Khla ki don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid:

“Ka *Campaign* ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Khla la pynlong ia ka ha ka 9.2.1999, ban pynsngewthuh ia ki paidbah ba ki Khla ki don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid bad lada ym don ka jingleh ba kyrkieh kine ki mrad ba don ka matn syiem bad ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki ha ka mariang kin duh kin dam noh baroh shirta”.

“Ki samla pule ha ki *College* bad ki khynnah skul ki long ka thong ba kyrpang ba la leh da kane ka *Campaign*, ia kaba la pynlong da ka “*Tiger Trust*”, U *Chairman* jong ka u Pradeep Sankhala, uba long u khun jong u nongialeh ban pynneh pynsah ba pawnam u Kailash Sankhala”, u la iathuh.

“Ka jingpym ia ki *Slide, Video* bad ki *interactive sessions*, ia kaba la ai jingkren da ki brieve ba shemphang bha shaphang ki mrad ki mreng (*Wildlife experts*) la dep phah na ka bynta ka artaiew kaban wan ha kiba bun ki skul, ki *College* bad ki *Corporate houses* (Ki iing trei lang) hapoh ka nongbah Delhi. Ia ka *programme* yn pynlong hapoh ka dur u Khla kaba heh bad iar 50 ft”.

“Yn pynlong ruh ia ka jingiakop dro bad ia kop thoh *slogan* kum kawei ka bynta jong kane ka *Campaign*”. Ka “*Love the Tiger walk*” (Ka jingiaid kjat ban pyni ia ka jingieid ia u Khla) ia kaba la kyrshan da ka “*Project Tiger*” yn sa pynlong ia ka ha ka 14 tarik u bnai *February* 1999 ha *Delhi Zoo*. U Khla uba long ha khlieh jong ka “*Food Chain*” (Kynjri jong ka rukom bam jingbam) kaba pyni ia ka jingkoit jingkhiah jong ka khlaw bad ki mrad ki mreng ba im hapoh jong ka. Ka jingduh noh ia u Khla ka lah ban pynsawa ia kabaje jingtap jong kiwei pat ki mrad ki mreng”.

“Ki Khla hapoh India ki long kiba bun eh ha ka pyrthei, kumba 4000 tylli, ki don ha ka jingma kaba khraw na ka jingduh noh ia ki khlaw ki btap kiba long ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki bad ka jingkhaui be-aifi ia ki dkhot met jong ki Khla bad ia ka snieh jong ki”.

Ia kane la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor *The Meghalaya Guardian* kaba la mih ha ka 10.2.1999 halor ka *heading* “*Save Tiger Camapign*” ha ka sla ba ar.

## 12.7 U mrad ba kyrpang jong ka ri India u don ha ka khim khait:

“Ka ri India shen kan sa duh ia ka jinglong ba kyrpang jong ka kum ka ri ba don bun eh ki Khla ha ka pyrthei. Kine ki Khla heh ki don ha ka jingma kaba khrav ba ki lah ban duh jait noh na ka daw jong ka jingpyniap klep ia ki lada ym pyntreikam ia ki lad ki lynti kiba trei kam shisha ban iada ia kine ki mrad ka ri. Ki nongpeit pyrman ki ong “Ki nongpyniap klep ki pyniap haduh kumba 3000 tylli ki Khla man la ka snem ban bsa ia ka jingthangan ka bym kut shuh na ka bynta ki shyieng bad ki dkhot met jong ki Khla ha ri China”.

“Ha ka snem 1989, la don haduh 4334 tylli ki Khla kiba iaid ba ieng bad im hapoh ki jaka ba la ai jingiada da ka *Project Tiger* kaba kynthup ia ki 23 tylli ki khlaw tyngkai Khla, kumjuh ruh ia ki khlaw bym don jingiada jong ka ri. Mynta, la buh da ka bymdei ka jong ka Sorkar ne ophis (*unofficial*) ba ki don sa tang 3000 tylli. Kata ka mut hapoh phra snem (1989-97) ki nongpyniap klep ki la pyniap hapdeng 1400 bad 1500 tylli ki Khla... kaba lada kheif shisha kaba la bun tylli bha”.

“Haba kren beit khlem jingbuhrieh, ym don mano mano ba tip da shisha sa katno tylli ki Khla ki dang don hapoh ri. Wat ia ka jingbuh ba ki don hapoh ka ri sa 3000 tylli ruh don bun ki *critic* ki bym ngeit ia ka, kiba pyrkhath ba lehse don kham khyndiat tylli ki Khla ha ki *Wildlife Sanctuaries* bad ki *National Parks* (Kiba long ki khlaw buh tyngkai ia ki mrad khlaw) ban ia ka 3000 tylli. Ki ong ba lada kam long kumta ki bor ba peit ia ka *Project Tiger* kin nym long kiba kbum ia la ka shyntur halor kane ka mat haduh mynta. Haba kren halor kane, u Bah Ashok Kumar jong ka *Wildlife Protection Society of India* u ong ba um iahap jingmut bad kaci ba ka Sorkar ka ieng ba ka khunasamari ne *census* ia ki Khla kaba lah ban biang nadong shadong ne khlem jingbakla. “Wat iathuh ia ngi katno tylli, hynrei la kumno kumno ai ha ngi ia ka “*Benchmark*” ne ka dak ka shin ba shisha ia kaba lah ban pyndonkam ban kheif ban diah ne ban jurip”.

“Kam don kano kano ka jingbuhrieh ia ka jingshisha ba ka jinglong na ka bynta ban pynsah pynneh ia ki Khla ka long kaba duh jingkyrmen haduh katta katta wat haduh u Prime Minister, Mr. A. B. Vajpayee u khlem treh ban leit sha ka jingrakhe pyndonburom ia ka jingdap 25 snem (*Silver Jubilee*) jong ka *Project Tiger* ar bnai mynshwa. La iathuh ba u Vajpayee u la mai ia ki nongtrei Sorkar kiba la leit ban khot ia u na ka bynta kane ka jingrakhe pyndon burom, u la kylli ba la dang don haduh ban biang ki Khla hapoh ri kaban long ban pynlong ia kane ka jinglekhmen”.

“Ka jinghiar ba sted ha ka jingbun ki Khla ka la sdang ha ka snem 1989. Ha katei ka snem, ki nongpyniap klep ki la pyniap lut ia baroh ki Khla kiba don hapoh ki khlaw jong ka ri China. Dei naduh kata ba ki sdang ban khmih ia ki shyieng sha lyndet jong u pud u sam. Kine ki shyieng bad katto katne ki dkhot met u Khla, ki long kiba jur ka jingdawa ha ri China, Korea bad Japan namar la ju pyndonkam ia kiban shna ia ki dawai tynrai jong kitei ki ri da ki spah snem mynshwa. Wat la katta ruh, ha ka por mynta, ka jingdawa ia ki dawai ba la shna na ki dkhot met ki Khla ka long kaba jur palat haduh katta katta. Kaba la pynlong ia ki nongpyniap klep ban trei ia kane ka kam ka long namar ka jingioh nong kaba khrav palat na ka jingdie ia ki dkhot met jong ki Khla. Kaba don ha ka jingdawa kaba jur tam ka dei ka shyieng lbong jong u Khla. Ka dor jong ka, ka long 3,500 *U.S. Dollar* shi kilo. Uwei u khla u don hapdeng 8 bad 10 kilo kane ka jaid shyieng”.

“Ki Snieh Khla ha ri Japan bad ha ki ieuw ba don ha *Middle East* ki shongdor haduh 10,000 *U.S. Dollar* kawei. Ia ka syrwa ba la shet na ka tiar jinglong shynrang jong u Khla la niew ia kaba ka long kaba ha khlieh tam na ka bynta ban pynkhlaif ia u briew ia ka kam poikha poiman ha ri China. Ia ka khmut Khla ba la sdien halor ka jingthiah ba thiah u tnga bad ka tnga la iathuh ba ki iarap ban pynioh ia u ban kha ia u khun shynrang. Ki nong China ki pyndonkam ia ki tyrsim Khla kum ki

jingdeng ba kordor bad ña ki tmaifñ Khla kum ka kynja jingdih kaba long bih ban beh mrad ña ki ksuid ki khrei. Ha kaba kren lyngkot u Khla uba la ñap u shongdor haduh 50,000 *U.S. Dollar*".

"Kaba sniew tam shaphang ki Khla ka long ba ka jingpynñap ña uwei ka pynlong ña ka jingñap jong kiba bun kumba la ñohi ha ka rukom im jong kine ki jaid mrad. Kumba ai nuksa noh, lada ka Khla kaba don bad ki khun kiba shaniah ña ka jingim jong ki ha ka, ka hap ha ka kti jong ki nongpynñap klep, u Khla shynrang un nym salia ei ei ruh shaphang kaban ri ban sumar ne ban ai bam ai diñ ña ki. Ka jingmih na kane, kine ki khun Khla ñiar bha ba kin im. Bad lada la pynñap klep pat ña U Khla kan mih ka jingñaleh, ka jingiashoh ña dat bad ka jingñadait hapteng jong ki Khla shynrang khnang ban ñoh long trai ña u pud u sam jong u Khla uba la shah pynñap. U nongjop u pynskhem ña u pud u sam da kaba u khlem pynkha ma u. Namarkata, ka jingktah jong ka jingpynñap klep ka kham khraw ban ña ka jingpynñap ña ki Khla ka long kaba shisha".

"Ba ki nongpynñap klep ki long shisha ka jingma kaba khraw ña ka jingñaleh ban pynneh pynsah ña u Khla la kubur ña kane wat da ki bor ba peit ba pynñaid ña ka *Project Tiger*. "Ki nongpynñap klep ki lah ban pynduh lut ña baroh ki Khla jong kano kano ka jaka ha kawei ka lyiur lada ki kwah ban leh kumta", la ong u Brijinder Singh, u dkhot jong ka *Project Tiger* bad u *Ex-Director* jong ka *Project Tiger* naduh ka snem 1989 haduh ka snem 1991. Kawei ka daw balci ki nongpynñap klep ki lah ban trei khlem ka jingshah pynshitom ka long namar ba ki lah ban pyndonkam ña ki aiñ ki kanun ba ñadei bad ki mrad khlaw (*Wildlife Laws*) ha kata ka rukom ban lait na ka jingpynshitom ña ki. Shen, tang shu kem ña u nongpynñap klep ña u kloi lan la ai jamin da ka ñingbishar namar ba ki mukotduma ki neh slem bha da ki bun bun snem hapoh ki ñingbishar. U nongpynñap klep ba la ñoh jamin u leit phai ban bteng biang ña ki kam be-aiñ jong u".

"Ki nongpeit pyrman ki ong katba ki nongpynñap klep ki rah ña ki tiar siat kiba khlañ bad ba paka jong ka juk ba mynta, ki tiar siat jong ki *Wildlife Guards* jong ka *Project Tiger* ki long ki bym biang bad ba la rim haba ñanujor ña ki tiar siat ba pyndonkam da kine ki ar kynhun. Nalor kane, kam don ruh ka jingpynñaid beiti ña ka rukom pyntreikam ña ka *Anti Poaching Programme* (Ka *programme* ban ñaleh pyrshah ña ka jingpynñap klep) la pyntreikam ña ka wat ha ki jaka ba don hapoh ka jingpeit bad jingpynñaid jong ka *Project Tiger* bad shabar jong ka ruh. Na kata ka daw ym don jingphylla ba ki nongpynñap klep ki la ñoh kabuban pynjulong ha kylleng ka ri khlem jinglehraiñ. khlem jingpynwit bad khlem da ñoh ban kem ruh ña ki".

"Ka jingshisha ka long ba ki Khla kiba don hapoh ki khlaw ba khlem ai jingñada ki sah beiti ha ka jingisynei jong ki nongpynñap klep. U Prasanla Kumar Sen, *Director* jong ka *Project Tiger*, u ong "Ym ki Khla ba ñoh jingñada kiba teng khat ki hap ban ñaid palat ña ka 20 *kms* ha ka shitañew ba ki wad jingbam. Kim don jingñada ña ki", la ong u Sen.

"Kaba shisha ka long wat ha ki jaka ba don hapoh ka *Project Tiger* ruh kam da long kaba bha. Shim ña ka nuksa jong ka *Ranthambore Tiger Reserve* kaba don hapoh ka jylla Rajasthan. Kiba bun ki *Wildlife Documentaries* (ki *film* ba dei shaphang ki mrad khlaw) la dep ring *film* ña ki hangne. Ka jingmih na kane ki Khla kum u Genghis, ka Noan bad ka Laxmi ki la kylla long kiba pawnam ha kylleng satlak ka pyrthei. Mynta kine ki Khla kiba long kum ki *Actor*, *Actress* jong ki film mrad bad kiba bun kiwei pat ki la ñap. Ha ka snem 1993 la buh jingkheñ ba haduh 36 tylli ki Khla ki la ñap ha *Ranthambore Tiger Reserve*. Hapoh hynriew snem la kynnoh ba ki nongpynñap klep ki la pynñap bad pynduna ña ka jingbun jong ki".

"Bad kaei kaba shisha ña ka *Ranthambore Tiger Reserve* ka long ruh kaba shisha ña ka *Dudhwa National Park*, *Bandhipur National Park* bad ña kiwei pat kiba shiteng dorjon ki *Parks* bad

*Sanctuaries*. Ia kane la kubur wat da u Sen, *Director* jong ka *Project Tiger*. Ha Simplipal (hapoh Orissa), u Sen u la ong. “Ba ki riewlum hangto ki ju pynlong ia ka Akhand Shikar (ka jingbeh mrad ba hapoh 24 kynta). Kam don kano kano ka jingkhaw ia ki. Dang shen ngi la buh katno katne tylli ki Khla”.

“Kawei na ki daw, balei u Khla u ia leh ia ka thma kaban shah rem wat ha ki jaka ba don hapoh ka *Project Tiger* ka dei ka jingbym don jong ka mon saiñ hima (*Political will*) bad ka jingkyrshan ba jur jong ki paidbah na ka bynta ban pynneh pynsah ia u Khla. Wat ia ka pisa ba la mang na ka bynta ka *Project Tiger*, ia kaba la ai da ka Sorkar kmie sha ka Sorkar Jylla, da kaba eh kan poi lut sha ki bor ba peit bad pyniaid ia ki khlaw tyngkai mrad; kaba bun na kane ka pisa ka jah ngai na ki lynti ba kyllaiñ ba la phah ia ka”.

“Kaba donkam ka long, ba ka *Planning Commission* ka la pdiang ia ka jingmang tyngkaba 75 Klur tyngka na ka bynta ka *Project Tiger* hapoh ka *plan* san snem kaba khyndai. Kane ka dei ka jingkieu kaba 30 Klur tyngkaban ia kaba la ai ha ka *plan* san snem kaba phra. Ki riewieid ia ki mrad ki phylla lada kane ka pisa kan poi bad yn ioh ban pynlut ia ka na ka bynta ban pynneh pynsah bad ban iada ia kine ki Khla heh”.

“Peit ia ka jingleh bym suidñiew jong ka Sorkar ia ka *Project Tiger*. Don haduh 535 tylli ki kam nongappahara (*Guard*), *Foresters* bad ki *Rangers* kiba sah thylli ha ki khlaw tyngkai mrad jong ka *Project Tiger* bad ym don uwei ruh u ban khuslai ban pyndap ia ki”.

“Ki *Expert* ki ong ba lada ia u Khla yn pyllait im ka Sorkar kmie ka dei ban pynthikna ba ka pisa ba dei na ka bynta ba kin im kan poi beit sha ki nongtrei ba peit ia kato ka kam. Kumjuh ruh, ia ki khlaw tyngkai mrad dei ban ap pahara ia ki da ki bñew kiba la ioh ia ka jinghikai kaba biang bad ki dei ruh ban don ka kynhun kaba pura. Baroh ki kam ba thylli dei ban pyndap ia ki shisyndon. Ki bor ba pyniaid ia ka *Project Tiger* ki dei ban don ki kali kiba khlaiñ bad babha kiba mut kum ia kine ki jaid kam ba ki trei. Shuh shuh, ki bor ba pyniaid ia ka *Project Tiger* dei ban pynkup bor ia kiban siat tang shu iohi ia uno uno u nongpyniap klep hapoh ki khlaw tyngkai mrad”.

Katkum u Brijinder Singh, “Ym pat duh lut baroh ha kaba ia leh ban pynneh pynsah ia ki Khla. Ym kum ka ri Africa, ym don ka kynhun ki kang ba la pynkhreh janai ban trei hapoh India, lait noh ha Kaziranga”, la ong u Singh.

“Kata ka mut ba ka Sorkar ka dang don por ba kan pyntreikam lang ia ka bor ba khlaiñ na ka bynta ban pynneh pynsah ha ki jaka ba don hapoh ka *Project Tiger* bad shabar jong ka, ban ai ka jinglada ia ki Khla ba kin lait na ki jingma”.

Ia kane ka bynta haneng la sot na ka jingthoh ba mih ha ka kot khubor Apphira ha ka 12.2.1999. ha ka sla 4 halor ka heading “*India's National Animals in Big Trouble*”, ia kaba la thoh da u Amarjit.

## 12.8 Ki Khla ba dang sah khyndiat ki lah ban duh ban dam noh hapoh shiphew snem:

“Ki Khla ba dang sah khyndiat hapoh ki khlaw ki btap ki don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jait noh hapoh kine ki shiphew snem kiban wan lymda ka sorkar kam trei bor bah ban thoh ia ki aiñ kiban khang pyrshah ia ka jingkhaiñ ia ki jingpynmih ba la shna lang bad ki dkhoh met jong ki Khla, la maham ki *expert* ne ki riewshemphang ha kane ka kam”.

"Ngin nym lah ban pyllait wat shi khyllipmat ruh lada ngi dei ban pynthikna ba ki dang ïai don hapoh ki khlaw ki btap ha ka snem ban wan jong ki nong China ba ki khot ka snem jong u Khla ha ka snem 2010", la maham ka Elizabeth Kemf, kaba long ka *World Wide Fund Species Conversation Official*".

"Wat lada ka la don ka jingïaid shaphrang ha ka jingthaw ïa ki aiñ ki kanun ban ïada ïa ki Khla hapoh ka snem ba la dep, ka la long kaba donkam ban nang ïaleh ban nang pynkhlaiñ arshah ïa ki aiñ ba pyrshah ïa ka jingpyniäp klep bad ban pynduh pyndam noh ïa ka jingdawa ïa ki dkhot met jong ki Khla, kaba don ka jingdawa ba jur eh hapoh Asia".

"Ka jingbun jong ki Khla la buh jingkheñ ba ki don hapdeng 5000 bad 7000. Kaba la hiar na ka jingbuh jingkheñ ba ki don haduh 100,000 hapoh Asia ha basdang ka spah snem ba la dep. Ka ri India ïa kaba la ngert ba ka don palat 40,000 tylli ki Khla heh mynta ka don kham khyndiat ïa ka 3000 tylli ki Khla".

"Ïa ki Khla la buh ha ka jingma la jan baroh da ki jingleh u briew, bad lynda ka Sorkar kan shim ban pyntreikam ïa baroh ki lad ba donkam ban leh, ka jingïaleh shitom jong ka kynhun ba kwah ban pynneh pynsah ka lah tang ban pynslem ïa ka jingnanghiar ha ka jingdon jong ki Khla", la ong ka Kemf. "Ïa ki dkhot met u Khla la pyndonkam kylleng ha kaba shna ïa ki dawai tynrai jong ki nong China bad khyndiat ïa kine ki dawai ki long kiba don ka jingdawa ha ri Sepngi ruh".

"Kat kum ka report ba khlem buh tarik jong ka *World Wide Fund for Nature*, ka la ai jingmut ba dei ban leh kyrpang kumba ka la phah ban pyllait im ïa ki Khla ha kaba kut u snem ki nong China uba dei u snem jong u Khla, ka jingjop ba kham kongsan hapoh u snem 1998 ka long ka jingpynlong aiñ da ka *U.S. Congress* kaba khang pyrshah ïa kaban wanrah na shabar ri ne die ïa kano kano ka jingpynmih kaba kan da long kaba don ka bynta jong u Kyndad (*Rhinoceros*) lane u Khla ha kaba shna ïa kata ka jingpynmih".

"Kawei ka jingjop ba kongsan ka long ka jingpynlong aiñ da ka *U.S. Congress* ha u bnai *October* ka long ba hym bit ban buh dak ne jingthoh (*labelling*) jong u Kyndad ne u Khla halor ki jingthep ban die ïa ka jingpynmih", la ïathuh ka report.

"Khadsaw tylli ki ri ki la ïasnoh kti ban pynkhlaiñ ïa ka *campaign* ba ki khot "*Tiger Mission*" ïa kaba la pynlong ha ka nongbah London ha ka jingïaleh ban pynioh ïa ka lawei ki mrad".

"Ka *Campaign*, ba la pynlong da ka *Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species (CITES)*, ka thmu ban pynjur ïa ka jingsngewthuh jong ki paidbah ïa ka jinglanot khop jong ki Khla lem bad ki jingleh ban pynrung ha ki bor saiñ hima bad ka jingai buit jong ka jingstad science ba mynta".

"Ka kynhun jong ka *CITES* kaba wad ban lap ïa ki daw ba shisha kan leit jngoh ïa baroh ki ri kiba long ki ri kiba la ïateh kular na ka bynta kane ka *campaign*, kaba kynthup ïa ka ri India, United States, British, Canada, Netherlands, Japan, Russia, China, Nepal, Myanmar, Cambodia, Vietnam, Indonesia bad Malaysia".

Ïa kane la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha u Kot Khubor, "*The Meghalaya Guardian*" ha ka 13.2.1999, ha ka sla 2 halor ka *heading*, "*Few remaining tigers may be wiped out in 10 years: Experts*".



## 12.9 Ki Khla heh ki ïaid thap mrad:

“Ka jingkiev bym ju kham jia ba ki Khla ki kynrup ïa ki brieve ha ka snem ba la dep ha Malaysia ka la pynshyrkhei ïa ki rieweid mariang bad ïa ki bor Sorkar, kiba la kynnoh ba ka jingbeh mrad ba be-aiñ bad ka jingduh ïa ki khlaw ki btap kaba la pynlong ïa ki mrad ba thngan ban mih napoh khlaw ban wad jingbam”.

“Katkum k1 bor ba dei peit ïa ki mrad khlaw, ar ngut k1 brieve ki la shah pyniäp ha u Khla bam brieve bad la kumno kumno sa ar ngut k1 la shah kynrup ha k1 Khla tang ha kane ka snem ba la dep haba ïa nujor bad ka jingshah kynrup ba khadar sien ha ki 20 snem ba la dep”.

“Ki nongkyndong ba sheptieng kiba shong ba sah ha k1 shnong k1ba jngai hapoh ki khlaw bad ha ki jaka thung dieng ki la ïohi ruh kham bunsien ïa ki Khla lane ïa ki dak k1 shin ba ki Khla ki ïaid thap mrad ha ki thañ jong ki. Ha u bnai *June* ba la dep, k1 *Wildlife Ranger* ki la pynbor ïa kiban siat bad pyniäp ïa u Khla hapdeng ka jylla Perak, hadien ba u la pyniäp bad bam ïa arngut ki brieve. Ka *Autopsy ne Post-mortem examination* ka pyni ba ka jingbeh mrad be-aiñ la kham bun bnai mynshwa la siat ïa u khla ha ka khmat bad ha ka kjat ba shakhmat kaba la pyndkoh ïa u bad u Khla uba thngan u sa kynrup noh ïa ki brieve”.

“Ha kawei pat ka jingjia ha une u bnai *November*, u Khla ba 20 snem u la shah pyniäp ha ka bus katba u dangiäid sha shiliang ka surok hajan ka nongbah Kuala Lumpur. Ki nongtrei jong ka *Wildlife Department* ki ïathuh ba u Khla u khlem ïoh bam la san sngi, ba la pynshong nongrim da kaba *examine* ïa ka jingdon hapoh ka kpoh jong u. K1 nongtrei Sorkar ki la sngewsih ruh ba la don ba tuh na u Khla ïa u tiar jinglong shynrang jong u, u thylliej, k1 khmat bad k1 kjat jong u hashwa ba ka kynthun jong ki nongtrei jong ka *Wildlife Department* kin poi”.

“K1 dkhot met jong u Khla k1 long kiba rem dor ha kaba shna ïa ki dawai tynrai ki nong China kaba la don da k1 spah snem mynta bad kito k1 nongbud ba skhem kin siew ka dor kaba heh bha ban diñ ïa k1 dawai pynkhlatñ (*Tonics*) ïa kiba la ong ba ki pynkoit ïa kiba bun jaid ki jingpang kum ka bym lah ban ïapoikha (*impotency*) bad ka jingpangmat. Wat la dep khang pyrshah ïa ka jingkhaiñ pateng ïa k1 dkhot met u Khla ha kylleng satlak ka pyrthet, hynrei ka jingdawa kaba jur ka ïai sah hapoh Asia. Kane ka pynshlur ïa k1 nongpyniäp klep ban beh mrad be-aiñ ïa ki mrad ba la don ha ka jingma ba k1 lah ban duh jaid kiba sah sa tang hapdeng 5000 bad 7000 tylli ha kylleng satlak ka pyrthet”.

“Kat kum ka *World Wide Fund for Nature*, dang don sa san jaid k1 Khla ha ka pyrthet, ki Khla *Indo-Chinese* la lap ïa ki ha ka jaka kaba la jan kerkut baroh sawdong da ka um bad la pyniasoh bad ka dewbah da ka ryndang khyndew ha Malaysia (*Peninsular Malaysia*). Ym don Khla ha ka dewlynnong Borneo. Don kumba 500 haduh 600 tylli ki Khla ba dangsah hapoh ki khlaw ki btap jong ka r1 Malaysia, bad ka *World Wide Fund for Nature* ka sheptieng ba ka jingdon jong ki kan nanghiar shuh, lymda ki bor Sorkar kin trei pyrkhing bha ban ïada ïa ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki Khla na ka jingkyntur jaka jong ki brieve”.

“Ki Khla ki dei ki mrad ba im marwei bad u Khla shynrang u donkam haduh 40 *square kilometers* ban pynlong la u jong u pud u sam ban beh mrad bad ban ïapoikha”, la ong u Dionysius Sharma uba long u khlieh jong ka *Animal Species Conservation Unit* jong ka *WWF* ha Malaysia. Wat la katta ruh, ka jingkiev ha ka ïoh ka kot ha Malaysia hapoh kine ki 30 snem ba la dep la ïohi ba ka

jaka khlaw kaba heh bad iär bha la dep pynduh noh ia kabad la pynkylla ia ka sha ka jaka thung ia ki dieng jri bad ki dieng tlai lane ban tei ia ki iing ki sem bad ki kharkhana”.

“Kiba bun ki jaka khlaw kiba la pynduh ki jia ha ki jaka them kiba long ki jaka ba kysai tam ban shong ban sah ki Khla. Ka jingpeit bniah ba dang shen da ka Sorkar ka la lap ba ka *Peninsular Malaysia* ka la duh shipawa jong ka khlaw ba la tyngkai jong ka lyngba ka jingpynlong madan ia kabad ka sah mynta sa tang 751,431 hectares. “Ki briew ki wan kham ha khmat bad kaei ba ngi iöhi ka long ka jingktah na ka jingduh ia ka khlaw bad ka jaka shong jaka sah ba kysai tam jong ki Khla”, u Sharma u la iathuh ia ka *Deutsche Presse – Agentur (DPA)*”.

“Katba ki nongrep, ki nongot dieng bad ki nongbuhai shnong ki leit sha kaba shisien ka ju long ka jaka beh mrad ba kysai tam jong ki Khla, ka jingma jong ka jingia kynduh jong ki Khla bad ki briew ka kiew. Kumba ju long, ki Khla ki kiar ia ki briew, kin kynrup lada pynkyndit lane lada ieng markhmat. Ka jingeh ba nangpynbun ka long ka jingbeh mrad ba be-aiñ ia kito ki mrad ba u Khla ubam, kum ia ki Sniang khlaw bad ia ki Skei. Katba nang ñiar kine ki mrad ba long ki jingbam ia u Khla, u Khla uba thngan un beh mrad ia ki Masi, ki Blang bad ki Syiar ba ki ri ki briew”.

“Ka jingduna ki nongtrei bad ka jingai pisa ba duna bha, ka *Wildlife and National Park Department* ka don ha ka jingeh kaba khraw ha ka jingpyrshang jong kaban rat dyngkhong ia ka jingpyniap klep bad ka jingbehmrad ba be-aiñ ia baroh ki mrad ba don hapoh ka jingia da, ym tang ia ki Khla. Ki nongpynkheñ aiñ ki hap ban shah set patok haduh 10 snem bad shah shaiñ kuna haduh 15,000 Ringgit (kumba \$ 4,000)”.

“Ban pynduna ia ka jingialeh hapdeng u Khla bad u Briew ka *WWF* ka la iasnohkti lang bad ka *Department* lem bad ka *Wildlife Conservation Society* ban pynlong ia ki *programme* ban pynsgewthuh ia ki nongkyndong shaphang ki daw ba ki Khla ki bam ia ki jingri bad ia ki briew”.

“Kine lai tylli ki seng ki la sdang ruh ia ka “*Camera Trapping*” (ban pynap da ki *Camera*) da kaba pyndonkam ia ka *Infrared Beam* ban shondur ia ki Khla ba lehraiñ ha ki jaka shong jaka sah jong ki hapoh khlaw bad ban peit bniah ia ka rukom iaid rukom ieng jong ki. U Sharma u la ong ba ia ka jingtip ban ioh na kane yn pyndonkam ban pynthikna katno ki Khla ki don”.

Ia kane la sot na ka jingthoh ba mih ha ka kot khubor *The Meghalaya Guardian* kaba mih ha ka 18.2.1999 ha ka sla 3 halor ka *heading*, “*Big Cats on the Prowl*”.

## 12.10 Ka Jingpyndonkam Bad Ka Jingmyntoi Ba Ngí Ioh Na Ki Khla.

Ia ki Khla ruh la pyndonkam ia ki ha ki jingialeh kai *Circus*, kumba la pyndonkam ia ki Hati. La ri bad la buh ia ki ha kylleng ki zoo, ba don ha ki Ri jong ka Pyrthei, khnang ba ki briew kin dup ioh lad ban peitkai ia ki.

Namarba ki Khla ki long ki jaid mrad kiba bam wat ia ka doh briew, kumta ki briew kim ju ri ia ki, lait noh katto katne ki briew ba don ha ki ri Sepngi kiba ri ia ki, kat kumba la pyni ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

Ki briew jong ngi bad ki briew ba sha kawei pat ki Ri ruh ki bam ia ka doh Khla. Ka doh Khla ka long kaba jem bad ba bang ban bam.

U 'La Kyrwang (*Royal Bengal Tiger*), u dei u *National Animal* jong ka Ri India.

Ki Khla ki bam bha ia ki Shrieh bad ki Sniang khlaw, kumta ki iarap bha ha kaban khanglad ia ka jingroi ba palat jong ki Shrieh bad ki Sniang khlaw, kiba long ki mrad kiba jur bha ka jingpynjot bad pynjutor ia ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew.

La ioh ruh ia ka Yumbu Khla na ki Khla kynthet ba ai buin khun. Ki nongai dawai Khasi-Pnar ki ju pyndonkam ia ka ha kaba shna ia ki dawai ba bun jaid, da kaba khleh lang ia kabad kiwei pat ki kynbat dawai. Ka Yumbu Khla ka dei ka dud kaba jaw ne hap na ka Khla kynthet ha ka por ba ka ai buin ia la ki khun, bad kata ka dud ka sa lang ha kata ka jaka ba ka la hap ne jaw, nator ka long lam byriong ka rong, katba hapoh pat ka long lam byrleeh ka rong.

Ki Kobiraij bad ki nongai dawai Khasi-Pnar, ki ju pyndonkam ia ka shyieng ba don hapoh ka tohtit jong u Khla shynrang ban sumar ia kiba kem ksuid, kem taro bad kiba kem ne ioh Puri. Ia ka khlein Khla pat ki shna dawai da kaba khleh lang ia kabad kiwei pat ki kymbat dawai khnang ban sumar ia ki briew kiba pangmat.

"Ka jinghiar ba sted ha ka jingbun ki Khla ka la sdang ha ka snem 1989. Ha katei ka snem ki nongpyniap klep ki la pyniap lut ia baroh ki Khla kiba don hapoh ki khlaw jong ka ri China. Dei naduh kata ba ki la sdang ban khmih ia ki shyieng Khla sha lyndet jong u pud u sam. Kine ki shyieng bad katto katne ki dkhot met u Khla ki long kiba jur ka jingdawa ha Ri China, Korea bad Japan namar la ju pyndonkam ia kiban shna ia ki dawai tynrai jong kitei ki Ri, da ki spah snem mynshwa. Wat ha ka por mynta ruh ka jingdawa ia ki dawai ba la shna na ki dkhot met ki Khla ka long kaba jur palat haduh katta katta. Kaba la pynlong ia ki nongpyniap klep ban trei ia kane ka kam, namar ka long ka jingiohnong kaba khraw palat na ka jingdie ia ki dkhot met bad ia ki shyieng jong ki Khla. Kaba don ka jingdawa kaba jur tam ka dei ka shyieng lbong jong u Khla. Ka dor jong ka, ka long haduh 3,500 *U.S. Dollar shi kilo*".

"Ki Snieh Khla ha ri Japan bad ha ki iew ba don ha Middle East ki shongdor haduh 10,000 *U.S. Dollar* kawei. Ia ka syrwa ba la shet na ka tiar jinglong shynrang jong u Khla la niew ia kaba ka long kaba ha khlieh tam na ka bynta ban pynkhlaia ia u briew ia ka kam poikha poiman ha ri China. Ia ka khmut khla ba la sdien halor ka jingthiah ba thiah u tnga bad ka tnga la iathuh ba ki iarap ban pynioh ia u ban kha ia u khun shynrang. Ki nong China ki pyndonkam ia ki tyrsim khla kum ki jingdeng ba kordor bad ia ki tmai Khla kum ka kynja jindih kaba long bih ban beh ia ki ksuid ki khrei. Ha kaba kren lyngkot, u Khla uba la iap u shongdor haduh 50,000 *U.S. Dollar*". Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha u Kot khubor Apphira ha ka 12.2. 1999, ha ka sla ba 4 halor ka heading, "*India's National Animal In Big Trouble*" ia kaba la thoh da u Amarjit.

Ka *Taiwanese Trade Magazine* ruh ka ai report ba tang uwei u nongshet kyiad da ki shyieng Khla, u la thied nabar ri haduh 2000 *kilo* ka shyieng Khla man ka snem ban pynmih shi shi lak bitor ka *wine* (Ka jaid kyiad ba lam thiang), kaba long ka jingpyniap haduh 100 tylli ki khla khnang ban ioh haduh 2000 *kilo* ka shyieng Khla. Ia kane ka bynta la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha u kot khubor Apphira ha ka 1.11.1997 ha ka sla ba 4 halor ka heading, "*Tiger Population Declining Due to Poaching*".

"Da ki hajar snem mynshwa ki Khla ki la rung hapoh ka jingmut jingpyrkhat jong u khun bynriew, kumba ki la iaid shisha ia ki khlaw ki btap jong ka Asia. Ha ki rud wah ne ki phud wah jong ka wah Amur ha Russia, ki *Archaeologists* (ki stad kiba wad jingtip ba bniah shaphang kiei kiei kiba

hyndai hynthai, kiba rim bad ba la jan duh) ki la lap ia ki jingohdur ohdar ia ki dur Khla kiba 6000 snem, ia kiba la ñiew tieng burom kum ki blei jong ki jaka khlaw. Ha ka *Hindu Mythology* (Ka khanatang ne ka parom Hindu hyndai) la ñathuh ba ka 'lei Durga ka la shong halor u Khla. Bad u Chang Tao – Vig, u kpa tymmen jong ka niam *Taoism*, ruh u la shong halor u Khla uba heh ha ka jingleit wad jong u ban ñaleh ia ka jingsniew bad ha ka jingleit wad jong u ia u shabi sha ka jinglong ban ym ñap shuh”.

“Lada ka *Asian Culture* kam shym la ñiew tieng burom shuh ia ki Khla, kiba bun pat ki dang peit ia u haduh mynta ba u long ka thymmei jingpynkhiah ba khlaiñ bor bha. Ki Kobiraij kiba long ki nongai dawai da ki dawai ba la ñoh ha la Shnong la thaw, khamtam eh ki Kobiraij China, ki ñiewkor lajan baroh ki bynta jong u Khla. Ki ngeit ba ki dawai ba la shna na ki shyieng Khla ka pynkoit ia ka jingpangmat (*Rheumatism*) bad ka pynjrang bad pynjlan ia ka jingim slem, ba ki shñiuh ba mih ha ki ngab jong u Khla ki pynñoh bor bad ka syrwa ba la shet da ki tiar jinglong shynrang jong ki Khla kan pynkhlaiñ bor biang ia ka jingkwah ñapoikha jong kito ki briew kiba la tlot ha ka met ha kane ka liang”.

La sot ia kine ki bynta ba la thoh haneng na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka *Reader's Digest* jong u bnai Nailar, 1995 ia kaba la thoh da u Eugene Linder halor ka heading “*Is the Tiger Doomed?*” ha ka sla 105 ter ter haduh ka sla 111.

“U Syiem Letsie III u la pdiang sngewbha ia u Prince Charles ha ka jinglehniam ban pynsah jingkyrmaw ia ka jingpynphong pansngiat ia u (Syiem Letsie III) ha ka Setsoto Stadium ha Maseru. Ia u Syiem la pynphong pansngait katkum ba rukom ba ki ju leh tynrai da ka jingteh khlieh (*Head band*) bad pynkup ia ka met jong u da ka snieh jong u Khla Krung (*Leopard*), ia kaba la kup nyngkong da u Nongseng jong ka Ri Basotho, u Syiem Mosheshoe”. La sot ia kane na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor Apphira ha ka 4 tarik u Naiwieng, 1997 ha ka sla ba 2 kaba la don ryngkat ka dur jong u Syiem Letsie III bad u Prince Charles.

Ka don ka company kaba pynmih ia ka lir (*Indigo*) da kaba thoh “*Tiger Brand*” halor ka synduk ba thep ia ka lir bad don ruh ka dur u Khla halor kata ka synduk. Kumta ka *Trademark* ne ka shap ne dak khañi jong kane ka kompany ka dei da ka dur U Khla. Ka don ruh kawei ka kompani kaba shna jingpruid ba buh ia ka shap ne dak khañi jong ka da ka dur U Khla.

Ka *Tiger halm* ka long ka dawai kaba ñaid iew bha, ia kaba la shna ia ka ha Ri China bad lah ban ñoh ia ka ha Meghalaya bad sha kiwei de ki jylla jong ka ri India. Haba shong da ka Rel haba leit ne wan na Delhi ne na kiwei pat ki jaka, la ñohsngew bad ñohi ruh ba ki nongdie tiar hapoh rel ki ju pyrta, “*China Balm-Tiger Balm*”.

Ki nong Arab bad ki nong Japan ki ju thied remdor bha ia ki snieh jong ki ‘La Khyrwang bad ki Khla Krung, khnang ba kin ñoh ban buh rong bad pynitynnad ia ki ha la ki jong ki ñing ki sem.

Ki nongohdur ohdar ia ki mrad ba bun jaid, ki ju ohdur ohdar ruh ia ka dur u Khla ha ki dieng, ki maw bad ki nar bad don ruh kiba thaw ia ka dur u Khla da ka dewbyrtha bad die ia kita ki jingoh dur oh dar bad ia ki dur mrad ba la shna na ka dewbyrtha, ki briew ruh ki thied ia ki khnang ba kin ñoh ban buh pynitynnad ha la ki ñing ki sem.

Ha ka jingñalehkai pyntur Masi ia kaba ki Jaintia ki khot ka E-ya-daw-Masi ia kaba ki ju pynlong shisien shi snem hashwa ka añom bet kba, ha kiba bun ki shnong ki thaw. Ha kiba bun ki jaka, ka jingpynñatur Masi ka long beit ka jingñalehkai sngewbha ba la pynmlien naduh ki longshwa

manshwa. Hynrei tang ha ka shnong Nangingi (Nongingi) bad ha ka shnong Takhniang ba ka jingpyniatu Masi ka iaid ryngkat ryngkat bad ka niam ka rukom, ka kñia ka khriam, ka suit ka shor bad ka duwai ka phirat. Ha ki por mynshwa la iathuh ba ha ka por pyniatu Masi don ki trai Masi kiba leh thok da kaba kyllan da ka khleiñ Khla ha ki reng jong u Masi jong ki, khnang ba uta u Masi jong ki un jop. Haba la kyllan khleiñ Khla ia ki reng jong u Masi ha ka por ba pyniatu Masi, u Masi na ka liang ba pyrshah uba mut ban ia ai reng bad u mar iapoi hajan u her iap na kata ka jaka namar ba sma Khla. Dei haba don ba leh kumne ba mih ki jingiakhaja ba sngcwsih ha ka por ba ki pyniatu Masi.

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*U 'La Thap Sim (Leopard Cat) uba la dep pynkhreh ban lehniam ha ka Shad 'Rong Khli' kaba ju long ha ka Shnong Nongtalang bad ha ki thaiñ War Jaintia.*

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ba ki Jaintia ruh ki khot ki Dngiem hi, ki Makbil ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Bears* ha ka ktien Phareng. La lap ba don san jaid ki Dngiem hapoh ka Jylla Meghalaya bad kita ki long kumne harum:

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Ki dei ki jaid Dngiem kiba heh tam napdeng ki jaid Dngiem ba don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya bad la khot ruh ia ki ki 'Ngiem Lalu. La tip ia ki kum ki Dngiem Kormanian ha ka ktien Jaintia, ki Vomsial ha ka ktien Biata, ki Makbil Wak ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Himalayan Black Bears* ha ka ktien Phareng. Haba ki la san pura bha don ki Dngiem bah shynrang kiba jrong haduh 6 phut tam naduh ka khmut jong ki haduh ka jingshong jong ki. Ki don ruh ki Dngiem bah shynrang kiba jrong tang hapdeng 4 phut tam bad 5 phut tam. Ka Dngiem bah kynthai ki kham lyngkot khyndiat ia ki Dngiem bah shynrang. Haba ki ieng ar kjat ki jrong 6 phut. Haba ki par halor khyndew na ka sla kjat ba sha khmat jong ki haduh ka tyrpeng ki jrong ar phut tam. Kine ki jaid Dngiem ki long kiba met-bah, ba ksah bad ba khlaif bha.

Ki Dngiem bah ki don ka khlieh kaba heh bad ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh bad ba ieng kumba ieng ki shkor Khla. Ki khmat jong ki pat ki long kiba rit. U tdong jong ki u long uba shu mih dak tang tiak bad u jrong kumba shu inshi bad u ia syriem ia ka dur u tyrnem; u long ruh uba khlem shñiuh bad la sop ia u da ka snieh kaba iong ka rong. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba heh bad ba nep har har. Ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha kawei pa kawei ka shympriahkjat mih ki tyrsim, kiba eh, ba khlaif, ba lamkdor bad ba nep har har. Ki pyndonkam ia ki tyrsim jong ki ha kaban kiew dieng, ban trud ia ka met haba ka buid, ban khlong ia ki khñiang ba don hapoh ka snep dieng, ban khlong ia ki thliw ba shong ki kruiñ ba kin dup ioh ban bam, ban khlong ia ka umngap, umlawai bad ban ialeh para ma ki ne bad kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki ju khlong briew ruh da ki tyrsim jong ki bad ki khlong thliw ruh ha ka khyndew khnang ba kan long kaba bit ba kin shong kin sah.

Ia ka met jong ki Dngiem bah la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba khah bha, ba jwat, ba khlaif, ba kham lyngkot ia u shñiuh jong ka Dngiem Kait bad ba ieng phymai ka rong. Ha ka shadem jong ki don ka jingthoh dak ba long ha ka dur jong ka dak 'V' bad ia kane ka bynta la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Ki nongbehmrade ki iathuh ba ki ju siat ia ki Dngiem bah ha kane ka bynta namar, kane ka jaka ka long kaba kham jem bad kumta suk ban siat pyniap ia ki. Hynrei lada siat na kiwei pat ki bynta jong ka met jong ki, namar ka long kaba eh bad kumta u kuli suloi um lah ban sam kumta kin nym iap. Dei tang da ki kuli jong ki suloi *Rifle* ba lah ban siat na kano kano ka bynta jong ka met jong ki bad kin iap namar ki kuli *Rifle* ki long kiba jrong bad ba khlaif bor bha. Napdeng ka met ha ka bynta ba don u budlum jong ki hangne u shñiuh u mih uba kham lyngkot, tangba u long uba eh bad ba jwat. U shñiuh ba mih ha baroh ar ki bynta jong ki krung jong ki pat u long uba jem. U shñiuh Dngiem u long uba klof ban kem ding kum u kseh. Lada bat da u prew ba meh ding ne da ka dongmusa ha ka kti ka Dngiem kan nym nud ban tur sha u briew ba ka tieng ioh kan shah thang u shñiuh jong kabad kan sa iap namar, lada ioh ban ai ding ia u shñiuh jong ka kan mareh kulmar bad katba ka nang mareh katta ruh ka nangjur ka jingklang bad jingrheng jong ka ding bad hadien katto katne por, ka Dngiem kan ing baroh shirynieng bad kan sa iap na kata ka jinging ding.

Ki Dngiem bah ki long ki jaid Dngiem kiba lah ban kiew dieng bad ba tbit ban jngi. Ki long ruh ki jaid Dngiem kiba bam naphang kat kaba ki ioh. Ki bam ia ki soh dieng khlaw ba bun jaid kum ki soh Jri, soh Sase, ki soh Phyrlyuh kiba long ki soh kiba rit kat u shana Kulai bad ba stem ka rong. Ha ka por Soh-ot, ki bam bha ia ki bad ki Nongbeh mrad ki iathuh ba ka doh Dngiem ka long kaba jem bad ba bang shngiam ban bam ha ka por ba ki bam Soh-ot bad ki sngaid bha ha kane ka por. Hynrei ha ki por ba kim ioh ban bam Soh-ot pat, ka doh Dngiem ka long kaba khleiñ bha haba thang ia ka, tangba ka long pat kaba jwat ynda bam ia ka. Ia ka jingkhlañ jong ki Dngiem bah lah ban iohi ia ka, ha ka por ba ki kdiah ia ki tnad dieng kiba heh khnang ba kin dup ioh ban bam ia ki soh kiba mih ha kliar jong ki tnad dieng kiba rit, kiba don ha kita ki tnad kiba heh ba ki la kdiah. Ki bam ruh ia ki Jyrmi kiba jew, ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad, ia ki dohkha, ki khñiang, ki puit ba bun jaid, ia ki Kber, ki Kruñ, ki Kyieng ba bun jaid bad ia ki khun jong ki, ia ki Tkhi, ka umngap bad u Lwai. Ka snep ba rben, ba eh bad ba jwat lem bad u shñiuh ba khah jong ki, ki iada ia ki na ka jingdait dom bad na ka jingkyntahh sni jong kito ki khñiang ba don sni.

Kumba laiphew snem tam mynshwa, une u Nongthoh u la poi ha ka shnong Lama, kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Lakadong bad u la iohi ia uwei u diengbah uba don harud surok, uba i kumba la don mano re mano ba la sangoh ne tied ia u da u Mustur ne da u tyrnem bah. Namar ba don ki trai shnong hajan hangta bad ynda kylli ia ki mano ba la tied tyrnem ia uta u diengbah, ki la iathuh, "Ba kumba katto katne bnai mynshwa, uwei u Dngiem Kormanian (u Dngiem bah) ba la san pura bha u la kura tynggeh ia uta u dieng, khnang ba un dup ioh ban khleng ia ka umngap napoh ka sympa jong u ngap ba la shong la sah hapoh ka thliew jong uta u dieng". Haba la peit bad bishar bha ia kata ka jinglong jong uta u diengbah ba la shah kura ha uta u Dngiem, ka la pynpaw pyrthei ia ka bor ba radbah ba uta u Dngiem u don.

Ki Dngiem bah haba ki la mynsaw bad ha ka por ba ki ri khun, ki long kiba dom riang bha bad ka long kaba ma ban ia kynduh ia ki namar, ha kaba kum kane ka por ki ju beh ia ki briew bad lada ki ioh ban dait bad khleng ia u briew ne ka briew, bunsien hi uta u briew ne ka briew ki ju iap noh na kata ka jingmynsaw jong ki.

Ha ka por ba ki Dngiem bah ki beh Khali, kata ba ki Dngiem shynrang ki beh ia ki Dngiem kynthei khnang ba kin ioh ban iashongkha, u Dngiem shynrang un beh thong ia ka Dngiem kynthei shisngi shimiet bad ynda ka la thait u sa ioh ban iapoikha bad ka. Ha ka por ba ki iapoikha ruh, ka Dngiem kynthei ka ju ud bad lynñiar jam bad lah ruh ban iohsngew ia kata ka jingud jinglynñiar jong ka, haduh ka jingngai kaba shi pawa mer na ka jaka ba ki iapoikha. Ha kata ka jaka ba ki iapoikha ju don bun ka snam ba mih na ka Dngiem kynthei. Ki briew ba iohi ia kane bad ki bym tip bha shaphang ka jinglong jong ki Dngiem, ki ju ong, "Ba ka Dngiem ka pdem khun da ka snam". Hynrei kane ka jingong ka long kaba bakla. Namar ki Dngiem ki ju kha khun hadien ba ki la punkhun hapdeng 9 bnai bad 10 bnai. Ha ka por kha khun ruh ka jur ka jingmih snam. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por ot kba, kata hapdeng u bnai *September* bad u bnai *October*. Ki ju kha khun ar ne lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit bad ki bym don shñiuh. Ki khun Dngiem bah ruh ki don ka jingthoh dak ha ka shadem jong ki, kaba long ha ka dur u dak 'V' kumba long ki kmie ki kpa jong ki naduh ka por ba ki dang rit hi. Ki kha khun hapoh ki thliew ne ki krem ba don hapoh khyndew. Haba ki khun ki la san, la ju iohi ba ka kmie jong ki ka ju ialam ia ki ha ka por ba ka leit wad jingbam. Ki ri khun ruh hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem tam. Lait noh ha ka por ba ki iashongkha bad ka por ba ki ri khun, ki Dngiem ki long kiba im marwei bad ki lah ban im haduh 40 snem tam.

Ha u bnai Nohprah, baroh ki jaid Dngiem naduh kiba dangrit, kiba dangkhie dangsan bad kiba la san la rangbah ruh ki ngam ne rung shapoh ki krem bad ia thiah lynter hapoh hangta, khlem bam khlem dih haduh ka tañew ba nyngkong jong u bnai Lber. Ha ka ktien Phareng ia kane ka jingthiah ba

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lynter khlem bam khlem dih ki khot ia ka, “*Hibernation*”. Kumba hynriew mer na ka shnong Khatkasla don kawei ka krem bah krem san, ia kaba ki khot ka krem lawpale. Ki Dngiem baroh kiba don ha kane ka thaiñ, man ka snem ha u bnai Nohprah ki ju leit ban thiah hapoh kane ka krem bad ki sa mih pat napoh jong ka, ha ka taiñew ba nyngkong jong u bnai Lber.

Ki Dngiem bah ha ka por mynta ki la duna bha namarba ki briew ki leit ban siat pyniāp ia ki kat shaba ki don, khnang ba kin dup ioh ia u Ksang Dngiem bad ki die remdor ia u sha ki Kobiraij. Ki Kobiraij pat ki shna ki dawai ba bun jaid na u Ksang Dngiem da kaba khleh lang bad ki kynbat dawai. Ki Kobiraij ki pyndonkam ruh ia ka khleiñ Dngiem ban shna dawai ban sumar ia kiba pangmat. Namarkata, donkam ia ka jingiatrei lang jong ka Sorkar bad ki paidbah khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki. Lym kumta ym slem shuh kin sa duhjaid na sla kane ka pyrrhei.

Ia ki Dngiem bah la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya, sha kiwei kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 13.2 Ki Dngiem Kait

Ki long ki jaid Dngiem kiba ar ha ka jingheh. La tip ia ki kum ki Dngiem Ptah ha ka ktien Jaintia bad ki Vomthur ha ka ktien Biate. Ha ka ktein Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Brown bear*. Haba ki la san pura bha ka met jong ki ka jrong naduh khmut haduh ka jingshong lai pruh tam. Ka kyniān jong ki pat ka long shi pruh tam. Ha ka shadem jong ki don ka jingthoh dak kaba lieh bad ba pyllun kum u bnai, dei ruh ha kane ka jaka ba suk ban siat pyniāp ia ki namar, kane ka jaka ka long kaba kham jem ban ia kiwei pat ki bynta ka met jong ki.

Ki Dngiem Kait ki don ka khlieh kaba heh bad ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ki ieng kumba ieng ki shkor Miaw. Ka khmat jong ki pat ki long kiba rit. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba eh bad ba nep har har. Ki don san tylli ki shympriahkijat ka kawei pa kawei ka kijat jong ki. Ha kawei pa kawei ka shympriahkijat pat mih ki tyrsim, kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki tyrsim ba ha ki kijat ba sha khmat jong ki ki kham jrong ban ia ki tyrsim ba don ha ki kijat ba shadien jong ki. Hynrei, kum lah ban buhrich ia ki tyrsim kumba ki Miaw bad ki Khla ki lah ban buhrich ia la ki tyrsim hapoh ka snieh jong ki shympriahkijat jong ki. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot bha kum u tdong jong ki Dngiem bah hi. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba bthuh lam byriong ka rong.

Ki Dngiem Kait ki long ki mrad ba wad jingbam ha ka por miet hynrei, la iohi ruh ba ki wad jingbam wat ha ka por sngi ruh. Namar ki long kiba heh met, kumta ki hap ban trei shitom bha khnang ba kin pynkdang ia lade. Ki bam ia ki soh dieng khlaw ba bun jaid kum ia u soh Ot, soh Phyruluh, soh Shyrngan, soh Sase, soh Jri bad kiba kum kita ki jaid soh. Ki bam ruh ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid, kiba shong hapoh ka snep jong ki dieng pyut, hapoh ki maw bad hapoh khyndew. Ki bang bha ban bam ia ki Kber, ki Kruiñ, ki Kyieng bad ki khun Kyieng. Ki bam bha ruh ia ka Umngap bad ia ka Umlwai. Haba ki la thngan bha ki bam wat ia ka doh jong ki mrad ba la iap bad lada ki ioh kin pyniāp ia kiwei pat ki mrad bad bam ia ka doh jong ki. Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban kiew dieng bad ban jngi. Haba ki jngi ne sum hapoh wah lada ki ioh ban kem dohkha, ki bam ia kita ki dohkha.

Ki Dngiem Kait ki iapoikha poiman kum ki Dngiem bah hi. Ki kha khun pat hadien ka jingpun khun kaba 9 ne 10 bnai bad ki ju kha ruh ar ne lai tylli ki khun hapoh ka thliew ba don hapoh khyndew. Ia ka jingsumar ia ki khun bad ban bsa ban pjiah ia ki haduh ba kin da san, ka jingkitkhlieh ka hap ha ka kmie namar u Dngiem shynrang hadien ba u la dep iapoikha bad ka Dngiem u leit noh la



ka lynti bad um ju iarap ban ri ban sumar bad ban bsa ban pjiah ia la ki khun. Ki ju kha khun ruh ha u Nailar bad Risaw. Ki ju ri khun ruh hapteng shi snem tam bad ar snem duna. Haba ki khun ki la khlañ bha la ju iohi ba ka kmie jong ki ka ju ialam ia ki ha ka por ba ka leit wad jingbam. Ha ka por ba ki ri khun bad haba ki la mynsaw, ki Dngiem Kait ki long kiba dom riang bha bad dei ha kiba kum kine ki por ba ki ju khlong bad dait ruh ia ki briew haba ki iakynduh ha ka lynti ha khlaw.

Ha ka por kumba sawphew snem mynshwa ki Dngiem Kait ki don bun bha ha kylleng ki jaka. Hynrei naduh ba ki Kobiraij ki thied remdor ia u Ksang Dngiem khnang ba kin dup ioh ban shna ia ki dawai dashin babun jaid, kumta ka la don ka jingleit siat khnang ia ki Dngiem tang ban ioh ia u Ksang jong ki. Te mynta ki la duna bha bad la ñiar bha ban lap ia ki. Namarkata, donkam ka jingiatrei lang jong ki paidbah, ki Seng Bhalang bad ka Sorkar, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah ia ki. Lym kumta te ym slem shuh kin sa duh jaid na kane ka sla pyrthei.

Kumba long ki Dngiem bah ha u Nohprah (December), ki Dngiem Kait ruh ki ngam shapoh ki thliw ki krem bad ia thiah lynter hangta, khlem bam khlem dih bad ki sa mih pyrthei pat haduh ka taiw ba nyngkong u Lber (March). Ia ki Dngiem Kait la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri

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Ki dei ki jaid Dngiem kiba lai ha ka jingheh na ki Dngiem ba don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki Jaintia bad kiba bun ki briew ba shong hapoh ka Ri Bhoi District ki khot ia ki ki Khung. Katba ki Biate kiba long ki jaidbriew ba shong hapoh Sarpung Sirdarship jong ka Jaintia Hills District pat, ki khot ia ki ki Kalakhong. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki Makhil Gitchak bad ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Sloth Bears*.

Ki Khung ki long ki jaid Dngiem ba runar bad ba domriang tam na baroh ki jaid Dngiem ba don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki tang shu iohi briew ki behi thong ia u briew ne ka briew bad ynda ki lap ki tan pynkyllon ia u briew ne ka briew na ki kjat jong ki. Nangta ki khlong na khmat bad ki dait ruh na ka kpoh. Lada ym don nongiarap ban pyllait klo, u briew ne ka briew ba shah khlong bad shah dait ha ka Dngiem, bunsien ki ju iap na kata ka jingmynsaw jong ki. Kumta ki Dngiem Dngung ki long ki jaid Dngiem kiba ma shibun ban ia kynduh ia ki.

Ki Dngung ki long ki jaid Dngiem ki bym lah ban khmied shalor ne shajrong kumba lah kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem. Namar ka khlieh jong ki naduh ryndang ka lam kdor pyrkhung ba don u thied napoh ryndang uba teh bad ka shadem jong ki.

Ia ka met jong ki Dngung la sop ia kabarah shrynieng da u shñiuh uba jrong radngaiñ, uba jwat, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba iong ka rong. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka jingirong ka met jong ki naduh khmut haduh jingshong jong ki ka long hapteng saw phut tam bad san phut tam. Ki Dngung shynrang ki kham khia ban ia ki Dngung kynthei. U Bah Bniat Lathong ba na ka shnong Khatkasla u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Dngung shynrang ki khia hapteng 128 kilo bad 108 kilo. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bad ka shyntur ruh ka long kaba heh bad ba lam nep. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba kiba heh, kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki shkor jong ki kim long kiba ieng, ki long kiba noh sharum ka khlieh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ki bym khlañ ka bor jingiohi. Hynrei ki shkor jong ki, ki don ka bor jingiohngew kaba khlañ bha bad ka khmut jong ki ruh ka don ka bor ban iw kaba khlañ bha. Ki ju iw ia ka khyndew bad shisien ba ki la khlong ia ka khyndew, khlem pep kin lap ba don ki Kruñ ba shong hapoh kata ka khyndew. Ki tyrsim kjat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba jrong, ba

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lam kdor bad ba nep har har, katba u tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkot bha, uba shu mih tiak kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem.

Ki Dngung ki long ki jaid Dngiem kiba lah ban kiew dieng bad ba tbit ban jngi. Ki bam da ki soh jong ki dieng khlaw ba bun jaid kum ki soh Jri, soh-ot, soh Phyrlih, soh Sase, soh Shymgan bad kiba kum kita ki jaid soh. Ki bam ruh ia ki jaid khñiang ba bun jaid, kiba shong hapoh ka snep jong ki dieng pyut, hapoh ki maw bad hapoh ka khyndew kum ki Kber, ki Kruiñ, ki Kyieng bad kiba kum kita ki jaid Khñiang. Ki bam bha ia ka umngap bad ia ka umlwai. Haba ki la thngan, ki bam wat ia ka met lap jong ki mrad ruh.

Ki Dngung ki iapoikha poiman kum ki Dngiem bah hi. Ki kha khun pat hadien kumba 9 ne 10 bnai bad ki ju kha khun ar ne lai tylli hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew. U Bah M.M. Thaiang uba na ka Elaka Nongphyllut hynrei mynta u la shong la sah ha shnong Jowai, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki khun Dngiem ha ka por ba kha ia ki, ki long ki bym lah ban peit khmat bad kim don shñiuh ruh ka ka met jong ki. Hynrei hadien ba ka kmie jong ki, ka la dep ban jliah ia ka met jong kita ki khun tang hadien san ne hynriew kynta la sdang ban paw u shñiuh ha ka snieh doh jong ki. Ki lah pat ban peit khmat hadien kham bun sngi. Ynda ki khun ki la kham san bad la khlaiñ bha, la ju iohi ba ka kmie jong ki, ka ju ialam ia ki ha ka por ba ka leit wad jingbam kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem. Ka jingri jingsumar bad ban bsa bam ia ki khun ka hap ha ka kmie ba kha ia ki, namar, u Dngiem shynrang hadien ba la dep shongkha u leit noh jar la ka lynti bad um don bynta ne jingkitkhlieh ha kaban pynneh pynsan bad ban ai bam ai doh ia la ki khun. Ki ri khun ruh hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem duna.

Kumba long ki jaid Dngiem baroh, ki Dngung ruh ha u Nohprah, ki leit ban rung shapoh ki thliw ki krem bad iai thiah lynter hangta khlem bam khlem dih bad mih pyrthei pat ha ka taiew ba nyngkong u Lber.

Ki Dngung ruh ki long ki mrad kiba don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid namarba ki nongbehmrud ki leit ban siat khnang ia kiban dup ioh ia u Ksang jong ki, ia uba ki lah ban die remdor sha ki Kobiraij. Ki Kobiraij pat ki shna ia ki dawai ba bun jaid da kaba khleh lang ia u Ksang Dngiem bad kiwei pat ki dawai kynbat. Kumta, ia ki Dngung ruh dei ban ialeh ban pynneh pynsah ia ki khnang ba kin lait na ka jingduh jaid.

Ia ki Dngung, la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

### 13.4 Ki Dngiem Rit

Ki dei ki jaid Dngiem kiba rit tam na ki jaid Dngiem baroh ba la lap ba don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki Jaintia ki khot ia ki, Ki Dngiem Larah, ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Makbil Bone. U Bah M.M.Thaiang u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Dngiem Rit ki khia tang kumba 25 kilo.

Ki Dngiem rit ki long ki jaid Dngiem kiba juh bad mlien bha ban leit wad jingbam sha ki lum phlang ha kiba ki Kruiñ ki shong bad la ju iohi ba ki khleng ia ki thliw ba shong ki Kruiñ bad bam bha ia ki. Dei namar kane ka daw ba ki Jaintia ki khot ia ki, ki Dngiem Larah. Ha Jaintia, ka ktien Larah ka mut ki Kruiñ. Ki bam ruh ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid. Ia ka umngap bad ka umlwai ruh ki bam bha ia ki.

Ki Dngiem rit ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem bad ki kha khun hadien ba ki la pun khun kumba khyndai bnai ei ei. Ki ju kha khun ar ne lai tylli hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew. Ki ri khun pat haduh shisnem tam. Ynda ki khun ki la lah ban im bad shaniah ha lade hi, ki ïaid noh la ka lynti bad kim sah shuh bad la ka kmie.

Ïa ka met jong ki Dngiem rit la sop da u shñiuh uba khah bha ba long bthuh saw ka rong bad don ruh kiba long lam byrsaw ka rong. Ki long kiba thit ban kiew dieng bad ban jngi ruh. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kaba heh bad ka shyntur ka long kaba lam nep. Ki shkor jong ki kim long kiba ïeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit. Ki dih um da kaba jlah lap-lap da u thylliej jong ki, syriem kumba dih um u Ksew. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. U tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkot bha, uba shu paw tang tiak kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem. Ki tyrsim kjat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba jrong, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem, ki Dngiem rit ruh ha u Nohprah, ki ngam ne rung shapoh ki thliw ki krem bad ïai thiah lynter hangta. khlem bam khlem dih bad ki sa mih pyrtnei pat haduh ka taiew ba nyngkong u Lber. Ki long ruh ki jaid Dngiem kiba lah ban duh jaid namar, wat la ki long jaid rit ruh, hynrei, ki nongbeh mrad ki siat khnang ïa kiban dup ïoh ïa u Ksang jong kiban leit die remdor ha ki Kobiraij. Na ka bynta kine ruh donkam ïa ka jingiatrei lang jong ki paidbah bad ka Sorkar khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah ïa ki.

Ïa ki Dngiem rit la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Dngiem:**

Ïa ki Dngiem la ju pyndonkam bha ïa ki ha ki jingialekhai Circus. Ïa u Ksang bad ka khlieñ jong ki, ki Kobiraij ki shna ïa ki dawai dashin ba bun jaid da kaba khleh lang bad kiwei de ki kynbat dawai.

Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang khynnah u la ïohi ba don ki Dkhar ba ju wan ban pynshad Dngiem ha Shillong bad hadien ba la pynshad ïa ka Dngiem, la ju khrong pisa na ki nongpeitkai.

Namarba ki jaid Dngiem ki bam bha ïa ki khñiang ba bun jaid kaba kynthup ruh ïa ki Kruiñ, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khanglad ba ki khñiang kin nym ïoh ban roi shaba palat. Kumta ki ïarap ban pynduna ïa ka jingpynjutor jong ki khñiang ïa ki dieng khlaw, ka rep ka riang bad ïa ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew.

Nalor kitei ki jaid Dngiem ba la thoh shakhmat, don pat sa ar jaid ki mrad ba don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bha bad ki Dngiem. Hynrei, kim dei ki Dngiem ba pakabad kita ki mrad ki dei kine harum.

### **13.5 Ki Dngiem Miaw.**

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Dngiem Miaw hi. Sha thaiñ Hingkaria jong ka War Jaintia, kaba don hajan khappud bad ka Bangladesh la tip ïa ki kum ki Pshaid Dngiem. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki ki Matpra. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ïa ki kum ki *Binturong* lane ki *Bear-Cat*.

Ki Dngiem Miaw haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut tam. U Bah Bniah Lathong u iathuh ba ka long kaba phylla ba ki Dngiem Miaw ki pyndonkam ia u tdong jong kiban bat ia ki tnad dieng haba ki kiew dieng bad haba ki hiar na ki dieng. U Bah Bniah Lathong u da kynthoh ruh ba, "Lehse dei tang kine ki jaid mrad kiba don hapoh Meghalaya kiba pyndonkam ban bat ia ki tnad dieng da u tdong jong ki haba ki kiew bad hiar na ki dieng".

Ka dur ka dar jong ki Dngiem Miaw ka don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bha bad ki Dngiem. Hynrei, ki iapher pat na ki Dngiem namar ba u tdong jong ki u long uba jrong bha, katba u tdong jong ki Dngiem pat u long uba lyngkot bha. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long ka bym da heh. Nadien ki shkor jong ki mih u fiuh trong. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep bad narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki mih ki bniat kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha khar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Hynrei, kim lah ban buhrieh ia ki tyrsim jong ki shapoh ka snieh ba sop ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki, kumba ki Miaw ki lah ban leh.

Ia ka met jong ki Dngiem Miaw baroh shiryinieng kynthup lang bad ia u tdong jong ki, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jrong, ba khah, ba jwat bad khaiñ ba da ka rong iöng bad don ruh u shñiuh ba lam byrlieh-iöng ka rong.

Ki Dngiem Miaw ki long kiba lah ban im halor ki dieng bad ha khyndew ruh kumjuh; ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban jngi. Ki long ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Ha ka por sngi ki thiah hapoh ki thliw dieng ba don ha ki diengbah bad ki im ruh hapoh ki lawbah lawsan.

Ki Dngiem Miaw ki long ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ki jingbam ba bun jaid bha. Ki bam ia ki mrad kiba rit kum ia ki Lyngkhiang, ki Syllih, ki Lamadur, ki Lymbit, ki Khnai kiba bun jaid bad ia kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad bad ia ki Sim ba bun jaid. Haba ki jngi hapoh wah ki kem ia ki dohkha bad bam ia ki; kibang bha ban bam ia ki Tham. Ki bam bha ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid bad ia ki soh khlaw ba har rukom. Ki brier kiba la ioh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki, ki iathuh ba ka doh jong ki Dngiem Miaw ka long kaba bang bad ba khleiñ bha.

Ki Dngiem Miaw ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long kumba lai bnai ei ei. Kito kiba kham kloï ban kha khun ki ju kha khun hapdeng u Lber bad u Iäiong. Kito pat kiba kham slem ne dier ban kha khun ki ju kha khun hapdeng u Risaw bad u Naiwieng. Ki ju kha khun ruh iwei ne ar tylli shisien kha hapoh ki thliw ba don ha ki diengbah bad teng khat ha trai jong ki diengbah ba don bad ki thliw.

Ia ki Dngiem Miaw la lap ba ki don sha thaiñ Khatkasla, sha thaiñ Hingkaria ba don ha Jaintia Hills bad ha ki katto katne ki bynta jong ka Khasi Hills. Ki kham don bun ha Garo Hills namar la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka ha Garo Hills katkumba la iathuh u Bah Julius L.R. Marak, uba long u *Museologist* jong ka *Art and Culture Department* jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

**Ki jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Dngiem Miaw.**

Namarba ki Dngiem Miaw ki bam bha ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid bad ia ki Khñiang ba bun jaid, kumta, ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ba ki Khnai bad ki Khñiang ba kin nym ioh lad ban

roi shaba palat. Kumta ka long ka jingiarap kaba khraw ia ki nongrep, namar, ki Khnai bad ki Khñiang ki pynjutor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Dngiem Miaw kibang bha ban bam ia ki Tham. Kumta ki don ruh ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ba ki Tham kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat, namar, ki Tham ki pynjot bad pynjutor ia ki nur-bah ne ki nur-um ba ki briew ki ring um ban pynpoi sha ki lyngkha ki risa jong ki.

Ki Dngiem Miaw k1 bam bha ruh ia k1 soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Kumta ki iarap ban pynsaphriang ia ki symbai soh ban mih ha kiba bun ki bynta jong ka khlaw ba ki shong ki sah.

### 13.6 Ki Miaw Dngiem.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Miaw Dngiem hi. K1 Garo ki khot ia ki ki Mat'Chibel. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia k1 kum k1 *Red Pandas* lane k1 *Cat-Bears*.

Ki Miaw Dngiem haba k1 la san pura bha ka khlich bad ka met jong k1 ka jrong 2 phut tam bad 3 phut. U tdong ba heh, ba sngaid bad ba jrong jong ki u jrong kumba 1 phut 4 inshi. Ki long ki mrad ba kham heh khyndiat ban ia ki Miaw Heh ba k1 briew k1 ri ha la ki iing k1 sem. Ki khia hapdeng 3 *kilo* bad 4 *kilo* tam khyndiat. Ka khlich jong k1 ka heh kat ka khlich Miaw bad ki shkor jong ki ruh k1 long kiba ieng kum k1 shkor Miaw hi. K1 khmat jong ki ruh ki iasyriem bad ki khmat Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit. Ka shyntur jong k1 ka lam nep malu mala. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tyllh k1 shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ka jingnep jong ki tyrsim jong ki, ka iarap ia kiba kin lah ban kiew sted ia k1 dieng. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba sngaid, ba lyngkot, ba ksah, ba khlaiñ bad ba iasyriem bha bad k1 kjat Dngiem.

Ia ka khlich bad ka met jong ki Miaw Dngiem la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem ba da ka rong lam byrtem lieh. Ia ka bynta ba narud jong ki shkor jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong. Narud ki khmat, katto katne na ka bynta ba narum k1 ngab bad narud ka shyntur jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong. Harum ki khmat, na baroh ar liang k1 ngap don ka jingpruid dak ba da ka rong ba long lam sarang bthuh. Ia ka met jong k1 la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jrong, ba khah, ba jem bad ba lam sarang bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba byriong bthuh ka rong. Ia u tdong jong k1 la sop da u shñiuh ba khah, ba jem bad ba long pyllun pyllun ba da ka rong sarang bthuh bad da ka rong lam byrtem ieng. Ia ka kliar jong u tdong la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong ka rong.

Ki Miaw Dngiem ki long ki mrad kiba wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Mar ia kem iöngreiñ ki hiar nalar ki dieng bad leit wad jingbam hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Ki bam bha ia ki jingthung ba dang mih shylluit, ia ki lung siej, ki sla siej, ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid bad ia ki pylleng jong ki sim. Mar ia kynjat shai pat, ki kiew biang shalor ki dieng bad ki ju thiah ne dem kai mynsngi halor ki tnad dieng ba heh.

Ki Miaw Dngiem ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki, ka long saw bnai tam bad ki ju kha ar ne lai tylli ki khun shisien kha. U Bah Bniach Lathong u iathuh ba ki Miaw Dngiem ki kha khun ha ka skum ba ki shna halor ki tnad dieng. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh shi snem. Haba ki khun ki la sngew khlaiñ bad ki la lah ban im marwei, ki iaid noh la ka lynti bad kim sah shuh bad

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la ka kmie. Kumba long ki Miaw ki myllien bha ban sum ban sleh ialade, da kaba jliah ia u shñiuh jong ki da la u thylliej bad ki ju jliah ia ki pohjat lajong ruh.

La lap ba ki Miaw Dngiem ki don ha Meghalaya, ki kham don bun sha Garo Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills ki kham bun sha thaiñ Khatkasla, Saipung bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ki don ruh ha kiba bun ki jaka jong ka ri Khasi. Ki don ruh sha kiwei de ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

### Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Mlaw Dngiem.

Namarba ki Miaw Dngiem ki bam bha ia ki Khñiang ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khang lad ba ki Khñiang kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat, kiba long ki nongpynjot pynjutor ia ki dieng ha khlaw, ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki briew jong ngi ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki Miaw Dngiem

## 13.7 Ki Dngiem Sngi.

Ki dei ki jaid Dngiem kiba saw ha ka jingheh napdeng ki jaid Dngiem ba la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Malay* lane ki *Sun Bear*. Dei namar bym ioh ia ka kyrteng jong ki *Malay* lane *Sun Bear* ha ka ktien Khasi, kumta la pynkylla noh na ka ktien *Sun Bears* sha ka ktien Khasi bad la thoh ia ka kyrteng jong ki kum ki Dngiem Sngi. Kane ka long namar ba ki Dngiem Sngi kim don ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills. Hynrei, la lap ba ki don ha Garo Hills bad ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Makbil Sarang.

U Bah Julius L.R. Marak, uba long u Museologist jong ka *Art and Culture Department*, jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya bad uba long ruh u Nongthoh jong ka kot “*Balkakram the Land of Spirits*” u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha kane ka kot jong u, u la thoh ruh ia ka kyrteng jong ki mrad ba don hapoh ka *Balpakaram National Park*. Katkum ka *Check-List* shaphang ki mrad ba u Bah J. Dutta, *D.F.O.* Tura u la iohi ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakaram National Park* bad ki *Malay* ne *Sun Bears* ki dei kiwei na ki jaid mrad ba don ha kata ka *Check-List*.

Ki Dngiem Sngi ki long ki jaid Dngiem ki bym da heh. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 3 phut tam bad 4 phut tam. Ka jingkhia jong ki ruh ka long hapdeng 58 kilo bad 62 kilo. Ki Dngiem Sngi kynthei ki kham rit khyndiat ia ki Dngiem Sngi shynrang. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki Shkor jong ki ki long kiba lam pyllun. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem. Ka khmat jong ki ka long kaba lam lieh blad ka rong. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha. U thylliej jong ki u long uba jrong bha, ia uba ki pyndonkam ban jliah ia ki Kruiñ bad ki Khñiang ba kin dup ioh ban bam. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot bha, uba shu mih tang tiak kumba long kiwei pat ki Dngiem. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba ksah, ba khlañ bad don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha baroh ki shympriahkjat jong ki ruh, ha ka bynta ba nador mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba jrong, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ia ka met jong ki Dngiem Sngi la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba rben, ba khah, ba khaiñ, ba jwat bad ba iong tlem ka rong. Ha ka bynta ba kut u ryndang jong ki don ki jingthoh ba lam pyllun ba da ka rong sohñiamtra ba syriem kumba deng kpieng. Ki long ruh ki jaid Dngiem kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki pynlut ruh bun ka por halor ki dieng. Ki ju thaw ruh ia ki skum ha khap ki tnad dieng kiba

beh, da ki tnad dieng barit bad ki sla dieng. Ha ka por sngi ki thiah ha khap ki tnad dieng ba heh ne ha ki skum ba ki la shna. Ki leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet, ki bam bha ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid kum ia ki Kruin, ki Kber bad kiba kum kita ki jaid khñiang. Ki bam ruh ia ki jaid Khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki mrad ba rit, ki bam ruh ia ki Ñiangbshiah, Ki Ñiangblen, ki Ñiangbliar, ia ka umngap, umlwai, ia ki bynta bajem jong ki dieng tlai, ia ka kait bad ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

Ki Dngiem Sngi ruh ki shah siat pyniäp ha ki briew namar ba kin dup ioh ia u Ksang jong ki bad die rem dor ia u sha ki Kobiraij.

Ki Dngiem Sngi ki iäpoikha kumba iäpoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long phra bnai tam. Ki kha khun ruh ar ne lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ki long kiba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Haden katto katne sngi ki sa lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ba sop ia ka met jong ki ruh u la sdang ban jrong. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew. K1 ri khun ruh hapdeng shisnem tam bad ar snem duna, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem ka kmie ka dei ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongbsa nongpjah bad ka nongpynheh pynsan ia la ki khun. Namar k1 Dngiem Sngi shynrang kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Dngiem shynrang mar ia kut ka aiom shongkha, k1 leit noh la ka lynti. Haba ki khun k1 la sngewkhlañ, ba ki la lah ban im marwei, k1 iaid noh la ka lynti bad kim shong kim sah shuh bad la ka kmie.

Ia ki Dngiem Sngi la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. K1 don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Dngiem Sngi.**

Ki Dngiem Sngi ki bam bha ia k1 Khñiang bad k1 Khnai ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba k1 Khnai bad ki Khñiang kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat.

Ia u Ksang jong ki Dngiem Sngi, k1 Kobiraij ki shna dawai da kaba khleh lang bad ki kymbat dawai khnang ban sumar ia ki nongpang. Ia ka khleñ jong ki pat k1 pyndonkam ban sumar ia ki briew ba pang-mat. Ki briew ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki.

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Suri hi. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki Inia. Ki Giaro ki khot ĩa ki ki Se'el lane ki Se'el Ma'da. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Wolves*.

Ha Meghalaya la lap ba don ar jaid ki Suri, kiba heh bad kiba khamrit. Ha ka ktien Khasi ĩa kiba heh la khot ĩa ki ki Suri bah bad ĩa kiba khamrit pat la khot beit ĩa ki ki Suri. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la khot ĩa kiba heh ki Suri Symphieng lane ki Suri Symphler, katba ĩa kiba kham rit pat ba khot beit ĩa ki ki Suri. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa kiba heh Inia Ahan bad ĩa kiba kham rit pat kī khot ĩa ki Inia. Ha ka ktien Garo ĩa kiba heh la tip ĩa ki kum ki Se'el Dolgipa bad ĩa kiba kham rit pat la tip ĩa kī kum kī Se'el Chongipa.

Ki Suri baroh ar jaid ki long kī mrad kiba shyrkhei, ba domriang bad ba runar. La ju pule ha kī kot khubor phareng ba ki Suri sha ri Dkhar, kī ju rong tuh wat ĩa kī khynnah rit bad bam ĩa kī.

Ki Suri bah kī long kī jaid Suri kiba heh bad ba don jingĭasyriem kaba ĩa jan bha ha ka dur ka dar bad ki Ksew Suri, ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Phareng kum kī *Alsattan*. Haba kī la san pura bha. ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 3 phut tam. Ha kaba ĩeng naduh ka sla kĭat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, kī jrong 2 phut tam. Ki lah ban khia hapteng 18 *kilo* bad 30 *kilo*. Ka khlieh jong kī ka heh kat ka khlieh ki Ksew Suri (*Alsattan*) bad ka shyntur jong kī ruh ka long kaba heh bad nep kum ka jong ki Ksew Suri. Ki bniat jong ki, kī long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki khmat jong kī, kī long kiba heh kat kī khmat ki Ksew Suri bad ki shkor jong kī kī long kiba heh bad ba ĩeng kum kī shkor jong ki Ksew Suri hi. U tdong jong kī u jrong 14 inshi bad u long kum u tdong ki Ksew Suri hi. Ka shadem jong kī ka long kaba heh. Ki kĭat jong kī baroh saw tylli kī long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kī shympriahkĭat jong kī ruh kī mih kī tyrsim kiba eh. ba khlaiñ, ba nep bad ba tylli kum kī tyrsim Ksew. Ha ka bynta ba shadien jong kī kĭat jong kī don kī thnat kumba long ha kī Ksew ba don thnat.

Ĭa ka met jong ki Suri bah la sop da u shñiuh uba jlih, ba khah bad nalar ka met ha ka bynta ba don u budlum la sop da u shñiuh ba ĩong phyrnai ba long kum u laiñ. Ĭa ka bynta jong kī krung, poh ryndang, shadem bad kī kĭat la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrsaw bthuh ka rong. Ĭa ka bynta naneng ryndang, kī tyrpeng bad lbong la sop da u shñiuh ba ĩong ka rong bad da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw bthuh ka rong. Ĭa ka bynta jong ka khmat la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw bthuh, ĩa ka shyllangmat pat la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrĭong. Ĭa ka kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw lieh. Ĭa u tdong la sop da u shñiuh ba kham jrong ba da ka rong ĩong bad ba lam byrsaw bthuh, ka kliar jong kī tdong ka long kaba ĩong.

Ki Suri ba kham rit kī don ka dur ka dar kaba long kum ki Suri bah hi. Ka khlieh bad ka met jong kī ka jrong 2 phut tam. Haba kī ĩeng naduh ka slajat haduh ka tyrpeng jong kī, kī jrong 2 phut. Ha baroh kī liang lait noh ha ka jingheh bad ka rong kī long thik kum ki Suri bah hi. Ĭa ka met jong kī la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrsaw bthuh ka rong hynrei, u shñiuh ba ĩong ruh u mih hi katto katne ha ka met jong kī.

Ki Suri kī long kī mrad kiba im ha ka kynhun. Ka kynhun jong kī Suri bah ka long hapteng 4 bad 8 tylli. Hynrei, la ju ĩohi ruh ba kī ĩa ĩaid tang artylli ruh, lehse haba ĩaĭaid kumne ar tylli ne shijur



ka long ba ki ia luh samla. Ka kynhun jong ki Suri ba kham rit pat ka long kaba kham heh hapteng 10 bad 20 tylli. Ki Suri ki long ki mrad kiba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad, ki bam ia ki mrad kiba heh bad kiba rit ruh kum juh. Tangba bunsien hi ki beh thong ia ki mrad ba kham heh khnang ba kin dup ioh ban iabam lang.

U Bah Dwor Mukhim u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha ka snem 1964 u la leit siat mrad sha shilliang jong ka wah Mynkhen lem bad ki paralok jong u lai ngut. Ynda ki la klan sha shiliang ka wah Mynkhen tang hapteng shiteng kynta ei ei ba ki la iaid, ki la iohsngew ia ka jingkahait jong ki Suri kiba don hapteng 15 bad 20 tylli ba ki dang iabeh thong ia uwei u Bthong uba la san pura bha. Dei hangne ba ki la iohi ba ki Suri ki long ki mrad kiba stad, ba tbit bad ba shemphang bha ban beh mrad. U nongialam kita ki Suri lem bad saw tylli kiba bud ia u, ki la ia mareh sted shakhmat bad ynda poi ha ka jaka ba don ki phlang ba jrong ki la ia kynshait da ka um pynjihieh jong ki ia kita ki phlang. Ki Suri ba bun pat ki ialeh ban khangkdong ia uta u Bthong, ba un poi sha kata ka jaka ba don ki phlang, ba la dep kynshait umpynjihieh. Tang hadien shiphang uta u Bthong u la poi ha kata ka jaka bad mar iadei umpynjihieh ki khmat jong uta u Bthong u la long kum uba matlah, bad ki sa ioh ban dait ia u da kaba suk, don kiba dait na ki kjat, don kiba dait na ryndang bad na baroh ki bynta ba long ban dait ia u. Ha kane ka por uta u Bthong u la pynmih ka jingud bad jinglynhiar kaba sngew pangnud ban sngap. Bad da ka jingiadaut lang jong kita ki Suri, tang hadien shipor uta u Bthong u la kyllon bad iap noh.

Mar ia kyllon iap u Bthong, u Bah Dwor bad ki paralok jong u laingut, ki la beh ia kita ki suri da kaba hylla bad rah ruh ia la ki suloi. Ki suri ruh ki kynriah bad ap kham harud khyndiat. U Bah Dwor u sei ia ka wait tukri jong u bad ot ia kawei ka lbong jong uta u Bthong bad rah ia ka. U tang shu la kham jngai khyndiat, kita ki suri ki la wan biang bad bam ia ka doh jong uta u Bthong.

Ki Suri lada ki don tang ar tylli bad ia kynduh ia ka mrad ba heh kum ia ka Masi ne ka Sier, uwei na ki u kynthih halor met jong kata ka mrad bad dait na ka liew eit jong ka, bad ialeh ban ioh phrung ia ka khlieh jong u shapoh kata ka mrad, khnang ba un ioh dait ia ki doh jem bad kumta kata ka mrad kan kyllon bad iap klooi. Ha ka por ba u dait bad ialeh ban ioh phrung ia ka khlieh, kata ka mrad ba shah dait ka pynmih ia ka jinglynhiar kaba sngew shykhei ban sngap. Dei ruh ynda ka khlieh u Suri ka la ioh ban rung shapoh bad ban dait ia ki dohjem, ba ka mrad ka sa kyllon bad iap noh tang hapteng khyndiat por. Kiba la iohi ia kane ka rukom dait mrad ki Suri, ki iathuh ba ynda u Suri u sei ia ka khlieh jong u, ka long kaba itriem ban peit namar, ka khlieh uta u Suri ka la saw haifi da ka snam jong kata ka mrad bad ka dur jong u ka i dakait bad runar bha.

Ki Suri ki long ki mrad ba runar bha bad ki ju dait bad bam ruh ia ki mrad ba ri ki briew, kum ia ki Masi bad ki Blang. Dei ruh namar kane ka daw, ba ki briew ki tang shu ioh lad ki ju pyniap ia ki Suri. Namarkata, wat la ki ju don bun ha kylleng ka Meghalaya bad ha kiba bun ki bynta ka pyrthei, kumba 80 snem mynshwa hynrei, kumba long mynta pat, ki la duna bha ha kylleng satlak ka pyrthei.

Ki Suri baroh ar jaid ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Ksew, tangba ha ka jingiapoikha jong ki kam ju ianeh-sah bad slem kumba long ki Ksew. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long 2 bnai tam. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapteng 4 bad 6 tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat. Ki sa lah ban peit khmat ynda ki la don kham bun sngi. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliew ki krem ba la don lypa ha ka mariang ne ha ki thliew ba ki la tih hi, da kaba kboh da ki shynpriahkjat bad tyrsim jong ki. Ki Suri shynrang haba don khun rit, ynda ki ioh mrad ki leit ban ai doh ia ka kmie Suri bad ia ki khun Suri ruh. Ia ki khun rit dei ka kmie jong ki kaba ap pahara, ioh don kiwei pat ki mrad ba wan bam ia ki.

Haba ki khun Suri ki la khlaiñ bha, kiba la san ki la sdang ban ñalam ña ki, haba ki leit beh mrad. Haba ki leit beh mrad lang bad ki khun jong ki, kata ka kynhun Suri ka i kumba ka don arjaid ki Suri, kiba heh bad kiba rit. Kumta ki briew ki bym tip bha ña ka jinglong jong ki Suri ki mut ba kito ki khun Suri ba ki ñalam ban beh mrad, ki dei ki Ksew jong ki Suri.

U Bah Kynia Beh u la ñathuh ba ha ka snem 1960, ha ka por ba u leit siat mrad, u la ñohi ña ka jingñakhun hapdeng u 'La Kyrwang bad ka kynhun Suri kaba don hapdeng 25 tylli ne 20 tylli. Namar ba ki ñabun, u Khla wat la u heh bad khlaiñ bor ruh, um lah ban leh ei ei. Haba u mut ban dait ña uwei kiwei pat ki dait ña u. Haba u phai sha kamon, ban dait ña kiba dait ña u na kata ka liang, kiba na ka diang pat ki dait ña u. Kumta ha kaba khadduh bad ba la kut lad, uta u Khla u la kiew halor uwei u dieng, ba don hajan kata ka jaka ba ki ña dait, bad u la dem halor kawei ka tnad dieng ba kham heh. Mar kumta hi, kumba shiteng na kata ka kynhun Suri, ki la leit ban beh mrad. Shiteng pat na ka kynhun Suri, ki ña ap ha trai uta u dieng ba dem u Khla. Ki Suri ba leit beh mrad, ki tang shu ñoh mrad ki la leit ai doh, ña ki paralok jong ki, kiba ap ña uta u Khla. Ki wan ai doh kumne man ka sngi, bad u Khla u shu peit jawdud. Ha ka sngi kaba lai hadien shipor, ba u Bah Kynia Beh u la poi, ban leit peit la jia ai u ña uta u Khla, u la ñathuh ba imat na ka daw jong ka jingthngan ba palat bad na ka jingtlot ba jur namar u khlem ñoh bam ei ei ruh naduh ba u la kiew halor uta u dieng ba u dem, kumta u la hap sha madan bad kita ki Suri ki la dait pynñap ña uta u Khla bad ki sa bam suk ña ka doh jong u.

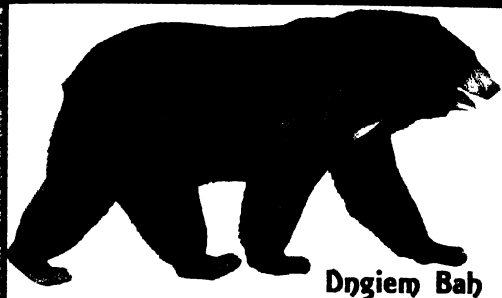
Ha Meghalaya la lap ba ki Suri ki dang kham bun hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad ha ka lawbah ba don sha thaiñ Garompani. Ki don ruh hapoh ka *Nongkhylllem Reserved Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserved Forest*, sha ka lawbah lawsan ba don hapoh ka Narpuh Elaka bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki jaka. La lap ruh ba ki Suri ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka Ri India bad ha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

#### **Ka jingmyntol ba ngi ñoh na ki Suri:**

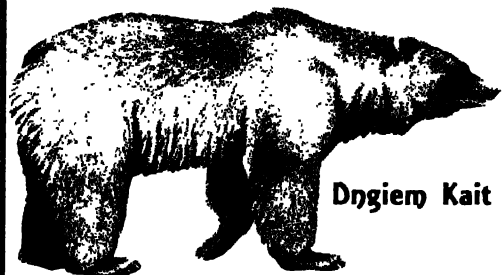
U Ksew u long u paralok babha tam jong u briew, bad u la hiar pateng na ki Suri, kat kum ka jingshem bad jingngait jong ki riewstad ba la wad jingtip ba bniah shaphang ki Ksew Suri, kumta u briew u la ñoh ka jingmyntoi shibun na ki Suri kiba long ki kpa tymmen jong ki Ksew.

Ha kajuha ka por ki Suri ki long ki mrad ba bam da ka doh jong ki mrad kiba heh bad kiba rit ruh. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ña ka jingroi ba sha palat than jong ki mrad ki mreng ba bun jaid bun sker.

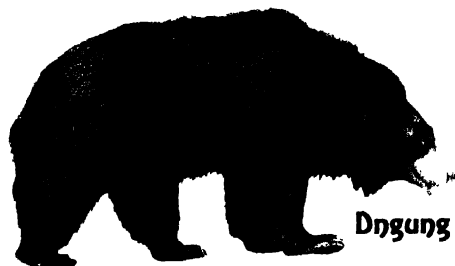
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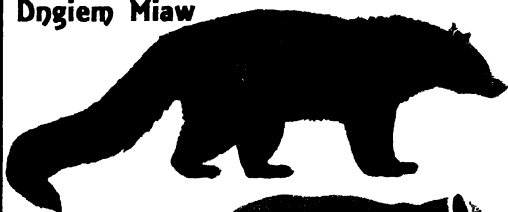


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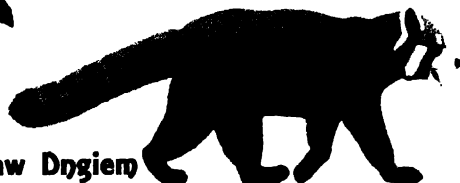


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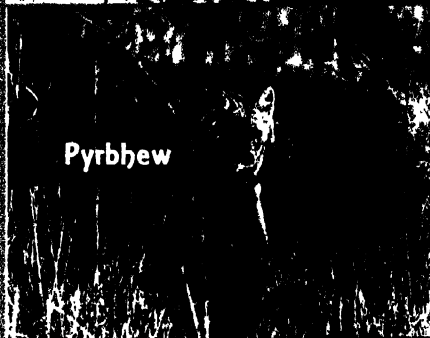
**Miaw Dngiem**



**Suri**



**Pyrbhew**



**Myrsiang**



**Ksew Khlaw**



Krung



Khya Khyrwan



Miaw Khlaw ba bam dohkha



Miaw Khlaw



'La Blang



'La Thap Sim

Khla Iong



Miaw Khlaw



Khla Shabrat

## Lynnong 15

### KI PYRBHEW

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Bhew, sha thain Mawpat ki khot ia ki, ki Phirew. Ha ka ktien Biate ki khot ia ki ki Sihal, ha ka ktien Garo la kot ia ki ki Peru bad ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Jackals*.

Ki Pyrbhew ki long ki mrad kiba don ka jingiasyriem kaba kham jan bad ki Myrsiang. Hynrei, ki long kiba kham heh bad kham khia ban ia ki Myrsiang. Ka jingpah bad jingilew jong ki ruh ka iapher na ka jong ki Myrsiang. Ka jingpah jong ki Pyrbhew ka long kaba sawa jam bha, kaba long kumne "Bhew... bhew... bhew...", bad dei na ka rukom pah jong ki, ba ki Jaintia-ki khot ia ki, ki Bhew. Ka jingilew jong ki pat ka long kaba lam jlan bad ba sawa jam kaba long kumne "Pyr...bhew pyr... bhew pyr.. bhew", bad dei na ka rukom jlew jong ki ba ki Khasi ki sa khot ia ki, ki Pyrbhew. Ka jingilew jong ki ka long kaba sngew ngiew bad ki ju mlien ban jlew ha ka por premmiet bad ha shwa ban shai.

Haba ki la san pura bha ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki Pyrbhew ka jrong hapteng 2 phut bad 2 phut tam. Haba ieng naduh ka slakjat ba sha khmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong shiphut tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut tam. Ka jingkhia jong ki ka long hapteng 8 *kilo* bad 16 *kilo*.

Ka khlieh jong ki Pyrbhew ka kham heh ia ka khlieh Myrsiang. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kaba nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor jong ki Ksew Suri. Ki khmat jong ki, long kiba heh kat ki khmat jong ki Ksew Suri. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaia bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba khlaia bad ki lah ban mareh sted. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaia bad ba long tylli kum ki tyrsim Ksew. Ha ka bynta ba shadien jong ki kjat jong ki pat don ki thnat.

Ia ka bynta ba nalog ka met jong ki, la sop da u shhiuh uba iong bad ba lam byrtem. Ia ka bynta jong ka khmat bad ka shyntur la sop da u shhiuh ba bthuh lam byrtem. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, ka shadem, ki krung, ka kpoh bad ki kjat la sop da u shhiuh ba bthuh lam byrtem. Ka bynta ba nalog ryndang bad ia ki lbong pat la sop da u shhiuh ba iong bad ba lam byrtem bthuh, ka kliar jong u tdong ka long kaba iong ka rong.

Ki pyrbhew ki bam ia ka metiap jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki bam wat ia ka doh kaba sma iwtung ruh. Kumta ki long ki nongpyinkhuid ia ka pyut ka pyar. Ki bam ruh ia ki sim kum ki 'Iar khlaw, 'Iar tung, 'Iar khiar, ki Tyut bad kiba kum kita ki jaid sim ia kiba ki lah ban ioh. Ki bam bha ia ki Khnai kiba bun jaid, lait noh ia ka 'Naikynjit namarba ka long kaba sma.

U Bah Kynia Beh uba long u Rangbah Shnong jong ka Shnong Moothadae, kaba don ha ka jaka ba iakhajia pud bad ka jylla Assam bad Meghalaya, uba long ruh u Kobiraij badonnam bad uba tbit bha ban siat mrad, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Pyrbhew ki long kiba sian bha, ki ju bud kham na jngai ia u Khla bad ynda u Khla u la ioh mrad bad hadien ba u la dep bam bad leit phai sha ka jaka ba u sah, ki sa bam ia ka doh kaba tam ia kaba u Khla um lah ban bam pynlut, bad ynda ki la kdang ki sa leit phai sha ka jaka ba ki shong ki sah.

Ki Pyrbhew ki juh ban shong ban sah ha ki khlaw kiba don hajan ki Shnong ki thaw. Ha sor, ki wad ia ki jaka ba kynjah sha kiba ki briew kim leit shata. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u

## KI PYRBHEW

Nongthoh ba ki Pyrbhew barabor ki pyrshang ban tuh bad baba ki iohlad ki pyniāp iā ki Syiar, ki Han bad ki Blang. Ha man ba ki dait iā ki Blang, ki ju dait iā ki na ki shkor jong ki bad ring iā ki shapoh khlaw bad ki Blang ki ju bud beit iā ki Pyrbhew da kaba sngap jar. Mar iāpoi hapoh khlaw ki pyniāp iā ki Blang bad bam iā ka doh jong ki. Ha ki Garo ka don ka jingong ba, shisien, ka Blang ka la kit ram shishang ka ja na u Pyrbhew bad kam lah shuh ban siew iā kata ka ja shishang. Dei na kane ka daw ba man ba u Pyrbhew u dait iā ka Blang u ju dait na ka shkor bad tan iā ka shapoh khlaw, bad ka Blang ruh ka bud beit da kaba sngap jar.

Ki Pyrbhew ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Suri. Ka por punkhun jong ki, ka long ar bnai tam bad ki ju kha khun hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long ki bym pat peit khmat. Ki sa lah ban peit khmat ynda ki la don kham bun sngi. Ki ju kha khun ruh ha ki thliw ki krem ba don hapoh khyndew, ba la ker da ki phlang kiba jrong ne hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Haba ki don khun rit, ki Pyrbhew shynrang ki ju wan rah doh iā ka kmie Pyrbhew bad iā ki khun rit ruh. Ka kmie haba dang rit ki khun ka long kaba phikir bha, bad kam ju iaid jngai na ka jaka ba don ki khun jong ka namar, ka sheptieng ba ioh don kiwei pat ki mrad ba wan ban bam iā ki khun jong ka. Haba ka kmie ka la khlaiñ, u kpa bad ka kmie ki ju ap kylliāng iā ki khun, katba u shynrang ne ka kynthei ki leit wad jingbam. Lada ki ioh iā ka doh ba la iap ruh ki wanrah, lada ki ioh iā ka 'lar khlaw, ka Tyrut ne ka Rabbit ruh ki wanrah ban iabam lang.

Ki Pyrbhew teng teng ki ju iā iaid kynhun ban beh Skei ne iā kiwei pat ki mrad ba kham rit. Hynrei, barabor ki ju iāfaid shijur ne tang marwei.

Ki Pyrbhew ki long ki mrad kiba la ñiar bad duna bha mynta. Kumta ym ju kham iohsngew shuh iā ka jingpah ne jinglew jong ki. Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang shong klas *X (Ten)* kata ha u snem 1966, dang iohsngew iā ka jingpah bad jinglew jong ki ha ka Shnong Jowai. Hynrei, mynta da ki phew snem ym ju iohsngew shuh iā ka jingpah bad jinglew jong ki ha Shnong Jowai.

Ki Pyrbhew mynta ha Khasi Hills bad Jaintia Hills, ki la duna bha bad ki don sa tang sha ki jaka ba kham kyndong. Hynrei, ha Garo Hills te ki dang kham bun bad ki don ha kylleng ki jaka them ne ka ri thor jong ka Garo Hills. Ki la sdang ruh ban leit shong leit sah sha Tura bad ha kylleng sawdong ki jaka da don marjan bad ka Tura.

La lap ruh ba ki Pyrbhew ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka Pyrthei.

## Ki Jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Pyrbhew.

Namar ba ki Pyrbhew ki bam iā ka met iap jong kiwei pat ki mrad, bad ki bam ruh wat iā ka doh kaba la sma iwtung, kumta ki iārap ban pynkhuid iā ka pyut ka pyar na ka mariang. Ki bam bha iā ki Khnai ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki Khnai ba kin ym ioh ban roi shaba palat than. Ka jingbam jong ki iā ki khnai ka long kum ka jingiarap iā ki nongrep namar, ki Khnai ki pynjulor bha iā ka rep ka riang bad iā ki jingthung jingtep.

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### KI MYRSIANG

Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ia ki kum ki Myrsiang hi. Ki Garo ia ki Myrsiang ruh ki khot ia ki, ki Peru kumba ki khot ia ki Pyrbhew. Ha ka ktien Biate ruh ki khot ia ki kumba ki khot ia ki Pyrbhew ki Sihai, bad ha ka ktien phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Foxes*.

Ki Myrsiang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut duna bad 2 phut. Haba ki ieng naduh ka sla'jat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong hapdeng shiphut bad shiphut tam. Ki don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bad ki Pyrbhew bad malu mala ki iasyriem ia ki Ksew Shnong hynrei haba la peit bniah bha ia ki, lah ban iohi ba ka khmat jong ki ka long kaba ibuit tuh bha bad ki long ruh kiba sianti bha.

Ia ka met jong ki Myrsiang la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba khah, ba lyngkot bad ba lam byrtem bthuh ka rong. Ha ka bynta ba nalog jong ka met jong ki, don ka jingmih shñiuh ba iong ka rong ryngkat bad u shñiuh ba lam byrtem bthuh. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met bad ka kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich bthuh ka rong. Ia u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem bthuh ba don ruh bad u shñiuh ba iong. Ka kliar jong u tdong jong ki ka long sabñiup ne symphum shñiuh ba da ka rong iong. Ki don ruh ki Myrsiang ba ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long rong dpei bad ia ka shadem bad ka kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrlich ka rong. Ha kine ruh u shñiuh ba iong katto katne u mih ha ka met bad u tdong jong ki. Don sa shijait ki Myrsiang bad kine ki long kiba kham heh khyndiat ban ia kiba la kdew haneng. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba saw brut ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, shadem bad kpoh la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem lieh ka rong. Ia u tdong jong ki pat la sop da u shñiuh ba saphum bad ba saw brut ka rong hynrei, ia ka bynta ba ha kliar u tdong la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem lieh ka rong. Ia kine ki jaid Myrsiang la khot ia ki ha ka ktien Garo Peru Gitchak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Red Foxes*.

Ka khlieh jong ki Myrsiang ka iasyriem ia ka khlieh Ksew. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, ba nep bad ba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat Ksew. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bad ba lam nep. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba khlain bad ki lah ban march sted bha. Ha baroh ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba long tylli kum ki tyrsim Ksew. Ha ka bynta ba shadien jong ki kjat jong ki mih ki thnat.

U Bah Hoares Sayoo uba na ka shnong Shangpung hynrei, mynta u la shong la sah la bun phew snem ha ka Shnong Thangbuli bad ki briew ki ju khot ieid ia u, u Babu namar u la ju long u Nonghikai ha ka por ba mynshwa. U la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Myrsiang ki long ki mrad ba buit sianti bha. U la iathuh ba shisien ha ka Shnong Thangbuli uwei u trai iing u la khang ia ka sem Syiar ha ka por janmiet kumba 5 baje ei ei ha ka por tlang, bad namar ba ka long ka por tlang kumta ka la dum bha. Ha ka por ba u set ia kata ka sem u Myrsiang u la don hapoh kata ka sem syiar. Hynrei namar ba u long uba sian um shym la dait ia kawei ruh ka syiar kaba don hapoh kata ka sem. Ha ka step kaba bud, ynda u trai iing u la plie ia ki Syiar, u la kyndit ban iohi ba dei u Myrsiang ba la mih nyingkong napoh kata ka sem, bad u da her pynsted bha khnang ban lait ban shah tied.

U Bah Dro Sari uba ka shnong trai jong u ka dei na Wahiajer hynrei, u la shong slem bha ha ka Shnong Saitsama bad mynta u la shong ha Jowai bad trei hapoh ka *Forest Department* jong ka *Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council*. U la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Myrsiang ki long ki

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mrاد kiba sian bad ba buit tuh bha. U la iathuh haba ki briew sha thain Saitsama ki riam ia ki Myrsiang da ki jingriam ba ki khot Miaw – tasam, kaba long ka jingriam kaba da ka nar, bad buh ia kita ki jingriam ha ka lynti ba ki Myrsiang ki ju iaid bha bad tap ia ki da u phlang. Hynrei, ki Myrsiang kim ju ngat namar, ynda poi ha ki jaka ba don kita ki jingriam, ki kynthih nalar kita ki jingriam. Katba haba riam pat ia kiwei pat ki jaid mrاد, ki ju ngat bha ha kita ki jingriam.

U Bah Kania Beh pat u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba ki Myrsiang ki long ki mrاد kiba sted bha ban mareh, bad ki lah ruh ban phai sha kamon ne kadiang da kaba suk, ha ka por ba ki dang mareh. U la iathuh ba shisien u la iohi ba u Khla Krong (U Krung) u la beh ia uwei u Myrsiang hynrei, da ka jinglah jong u ban mareh sted bad lah ruh ban mareh kyllaiñ, da kaba phai sha kamon bad kadiang, bad lah ruh ban mareh kylla shadien, te tang hapdeng katto katne por uta u Khla u la keiñ noh ban beh ia uta u Myrsiang bad u la lait na ka tyngam jong uta u Khla.

U Bah Kania Beh u la iathuh ruh ba ka long ka bym myntoi ban ri ia u Myrsiang, kumba ri ia u Ksew. Namar u la iohi ba uwei u paralok jong u, uba la ri ia uwei u Khun Myrsiang shynrang. Ynda ita i khun Myrsiang i la san i ju bud ia la u kynrad, man ba u leit sha lyngkha kumba bud u Ksew. U ju pynkhih bad kaweh ruh ia la u tdong ban pyni ba u kmen kumba leh u Ksew. Hynrei, ha ka por ot kba, baroh kiba ha iing ki leit ban ot kba bad ban iarap kam ruh. Uta u Myrsiang ha ka por shiteng sngi u la jah na lyngkha bad wan poi pat ha shwa ba kin leit phai sha la iing. Hadien katto katne sngi uta u trai Myrsiang u la iohi ba ki la duna ki Syiar ba u ri ha iing. Kumta ha ka sngi ba bud, ha ka por shwa ban dap shiteng sngi u la peit bha ia uta u Myrsiang, bad hadien shipor u la iohi ba uta u Myrsiang u la leit sha ka lynti kaban leit phai sha iing. Kumta u la buddien ia u. Ynda u la poi ha iing u la lap ba uta u Myrsiang u dang beh ia ka Syiar jong u, bad hangta hi u la pduh ia uta u Myrsiang da u dieng tylli ba don hajan hangta, haduh ba un da iap.

Ki Myrsiang ki sngewtynnad ne ki juh bha ban shong ban sah ha ki 'Lawbniap kiba don harud ki Shnong ki thaw. Ki sah hapoh ki thliw ki krem ne ki krem maw kiba la don lypa ha ka mariang ne ha ki thliw ba ki la tih hi da kaba khleng ia ka khyndew, da ki shympriahkjat bad ki tyrsim jong ki, khnang ba kan long thliw.

Ka jingilew jong ki Myrsiang ka long kaba sawa jam bha bad ba sngewngiew ban sngap, khamtam haba ki pah ha ka por shiteng synñia. Hynrei, ka long pat kaba suk bha ban pynsangeh ia ka jingilew jong ki. Haba ki dang jlew, teh ia kano kano ka jaiñ ne ia ka rumar bad mar ia dep teh, ha kata hi ka khyllipmat kata ka jingilew jong ki kan sangeh. Ia kaban pynsangeh ia ka jingilew ki Myrsiang, une u Nongthoh u la pyrshang ban leh lai sien lai wat, ha ki jaka kiba pher bad ha ka por kaba pher, bad la lap ba kita ki jingpyrshang baroh laisien ki la long kiba jop. Une u Nongthoh um kynmaw shuh mano ba iathuh ia u shaphang kane namar u la tip ia ka naduh ba u dang khynnah. Uta uba iathuh, u la iathuh ruh ba hamar ba la teh ia ka jaiñ, ha kata hi ka khyllipmat ka shyntur jong ki Myrsiang ba dang jlew, ka long kumba set ia ka.

Ki Myrsiang ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Suri. Ka por iapoikha jong ki ka dei ha ka por tlang. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long palat 50 sngi, bad ki ju kha khun hapdeng 3 bad 4 tylli. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw ki krem ne ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew, kiba la don lypa ha ka mariang ne ha ki thliw ba ki la tih hi hapoh khyndew, kiba long barabor kiba la ker da ki phlang kiba jrong. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrاد kiba ki shynrang bad ki kynthei ki don ka jingkitkhlieh lang ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun. Ha ka kynhun jong ki Myrsiang ba don bad ki khun ba dang samla, barabor, haba ka kmie ka la khlaiñ ban leit wad jingbam, dei ka khun samla ba ju ap hajan ka krem ba ki para ba dang rit jong ka ki don.



Ha ka kynhun jong ki Myrsiang, lada don uba dakaïd bad runar napdeng jong ki, ïa uta la tait jaid bad la beh noh na ka kynhun. Uta u Myrsiang ba la shah tait jaid u sa kylla long u Myrsiang Sadew bad naduh kata ka por u ïaid u ïeng bad im haduh ba kut ka jingim jong u tang marwei hi. U Myrsiang Sadew u long ruh u jaid Myrsiang uba runar bad dakaïd bha.

Kumba long ki Pyrbhew, ki Myrsiang ruh ki ju bud kham na jngai ha ka por ba u Khla u leit thap mrad. Haba u Khla u la ïoh mrad bad hadien ba u la bam kdang, bad u la leit sha ka jaka ba u shong u sah, ki Myrsiang ki leit ban bam ïa ka doh ba u Khla um lah ban bam pynlut. Kumba long ki Pyrbhew, ki bam ruh ïa ka metiap jong ki mrad bad ïa ka doh pyut ruh. Kumta ki long ruh ki nongpynkhuid ïa ka pyut ka pyar na ka mariang.

Ha ka ktien Phareng ïa u Myrsiang la tip ïa u kum u *Fox*, ïa ka Myrsiang pat la khot ïa ka, ka *Vixen*. Katba ïa ki khun jong ki pat la tip ïa ki haduh lai jaid ki kyrteng, kat kumba une u Nongthoh u la ïohsngew bad ïohi ha kawei na ka jingpyni shaphang ki Myrsiang ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, bad kita ki kyrteng jong ki khun Myrsiang ki long kine: ki *Cubs*, ki *Pups* bad ki *Kits*.

Ïa ki Myrsiang la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya, hynrei, mynta te ki la duna bha. Mynshwa, ha ka por Synrai bad ha ka por Tlang lah ban ïohsngew ïa ka jingilew jong ki barabor hapoh ka Shnong Jowai. Hynrei, kumba long mynta te la kham ñiar ban ïohsngew ïa ka jingilew jong ki. La lap ruh ba ki Myrsiang ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Myrsiang:**

Ki Nongrep ki ïoh ka jingmyntoi kaba khraw bha na ki Myrsiang namarba ki bam bha ïa ki khñiang ki puit bad ïa ki Khnai ba bun jaid kiba long ki nongpynjutor bad nongpynjot ba khraw ïa ka rep ka riang bad ïa ki jingthung jingtep.

Ki Myrsiang ki bam bha ïa ki Tham, kiba long ki jingthaw kiba jur bha ka jingpynjutor ïa ki nur um ba ki brierw ki shna khnang ban ring um sha ki lyngkha ki risa jong ki. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki Tham kin nym ïoh ban roi shaba palat than.

Ki Myrsiang ki long ruh kum ki nongpynkhuid ïa ka pyut ka pyar na ka mariang namar ba ki bam ïa ka met jong ki mrad ba la ïap bad ïa ka doh pyut ruh.

Ka snam Myrsiang ka long ka dawai bah ïa kiba pang Bhur. Hynrei, dei ban ïoh ïa ka snam na u Myrsiang ba la ïoh ban kem im ne uba la ngat ha ka jingriam. Ka snam ba la ïoh na ki Myrsiang ba shu siat da ka suloi, kat kumba ïathuh ki Kobiraij, ka long kaba tlot bor ban trei kam kum ka dawai ban pynkoit ïa kiba pang Bhur. Khnang ban pynneh slem ïa ka snam Myrsiang ba la ïoh da kaba riam ne da kaba beh thong ïa u, dei ban khleh lang ïa ka bad ka kyiad kaba la shet arsiën. Haba thep ïa ka snam ha u bitor heh, theh shwa da ka kyiad ba la shet ar sien, kumba shi pawa bitor bad sa pyndap ïa uta u bitor da ka snam Myrsiang. Hashwa ban dii, dei ban sa kynruh bha ïa ka. Da kaba leh kumne ka snam kan neh slem bad lah ban pyndonkam ïa ka.

U Bah Mylove Laloo u la ïathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba la slem bha ki nongbeh mrad na ka kyntoit ba ki khot Lum ïongwar, kaba don hapod ka dong Panaliar, Jowai ki la beh thong ïa uwei u Myrsiang bad dei u Mylove Laloo ba la ïoh kem bad lympat ïa uta u Myrsiang haduh ba un da ïap, harud jong ka madan ïalehkai jong ka dong Tpeppale, Jowai. U la ïathuh ba ïa ka snam u la thep ïa ka ha uwei u bitor heh bad set bha ïa u. Ïa ka snieh Myrsiang u buh ïa ka ha la ïing, bad ïa ka doh pat ki

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la ïa bam ïa ka. Hynrei, kat kumba u la ïathuh, ka doh Myrsiang ka long kaba lam jew. Haden lai sngi na kaba la ïoh ïa uta u Myrsiang, la wan kawei ka khar Nepali kaba sah ha Shillong bad ka la kyrpad ïa u ban ai ha ka ïa ki thnat, ki Tyrsim, khyndiat ka bynta na ki Shkor bad na ka khmut jong uta u Myrsiang. Hangta u la kylli ïa ka “Phin leh aïu ïa kita kiei kiei baroh?” “Ngan shna dawai ïa ki,” la jubab kata ka Khar Nepali. Kumta u la ai ha ka ïa kita kiei kiei baroh ba ka la pan na u. Haba une u Nongthoh pat u la kylli ïa u, “Ka dawai aïu ba kan shna na kita kiei kiei baroh?” “Nga sngewsih ban ïathuh ba ngam shym la kylli ïa ka, ïa ka jaid dawai aïu ba kan sa shna na kita kiei kiei ba nga la ai ha ka”, la jubab u Bah Mylove.

U Bah Thomson Ñiangti u la ïathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba mynshwa, u ju long uba don ka jingpang bhur. Ha ka por ba ki Lum Ïongwar ki ïoh Myrsiang u dang don ha Shillong ba u leit donkam bad u la sah katto katne sngi. U tang shu poi ha Jowai u la ïoh jingtip shaphang kata ka jingïoh Myrsiang jong ki, bad kiba ïathuh ïa u ki ong ba ka snam Myrsiang ka lah ban pynkoit ïa ka jingpang bhur. Mar kumta kloï lan khlem pynslem shuh, u la leit beit sha ka ïing u Bah Mylove Laloo bad u ka kylli ïa u Bah Mylove, “La ka snam Myrsiang ka dang don ne em?” “Ka dang don hynrei, namar ba nga khlem khleh ïa ka bad ka kyiad ba la shet arsien, bad namar ba ka la kham bunsngi te ka lah ban sma”, la phai ktien u Bah Mylove. “Kam pher ka mat sma, sngewbha ai ïa nga ba ngan ïoh dih, khnang ba ngan lait na ka jingpang bhur”. U Bah Mylove ruh u la sei ïa u bitor ba don kata ka snam Myrsiang, bad u la ai ïa u ha Bah Thomson.

U Bah Thomson u la ïathuh ba mar ïa plie ïa ka jingtap jong uta u bitor, ka la mih ka jingsma kaba jur. Hynrei, namar ba u thrang eh ban ïoh khiah noh na ka jingpang bhur, kumta u la dih dohiap haduh kumba shiteng bitor kata ka snam Myrsiang, bad u la ïathuh ba naduh ba u la dep dih ïa kata ka snam Myrsiang um ju khie bhur shuh.

Namarkata ka daw donkam ban ïaleh ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai ïa ki Myrsiang, ba ha man ba don ki pang Bhur lah ban ïoh ïa ka snam ba long dawai jong ki, ban pynkhiah ïa kiba pang.

Kat kumba la ïohi bad ïohsngew ïa ka jingbataï ha kawei na ki jingpyni shaphang ki Myrsiang ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, kiba bun ki ri sepngi ki ju buh ïa ki *farm* ha kiba ki ri ïa ki Myrsiang khnang ba kin ïoh die remdor ïa ki snieh ba sop da u shñiuh ba jem jong ki Myrsiang, khnang ba ki nongsuhjaiñ ba tbit kin ïoh ban suh ïa kata ki *Fur Jackets* bad kiwei kiwei ki jingsuh ba ki briew ki sngewtynnad ban phong.

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#### 17.1 Ki Ksew Khlaw.

Ki dei ki mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Ksaw Khloo. Ha ka ktien Garo la tip ia ki kum ki Si'jal lane ki Se'el. Kat kum ka *Webster's New World Dictionary*, la thoh ba ki *Dhole* ki dei ki Ksew khlaw ba don hapoh Asia. Ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Wild Dogs*.

Ki Ksew khlaw ki don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bha bad ki Ksew ba ri ki briew, ki don ruh ka jingiasyriem katto katne bad ki Suri. Hynrei ki kham heh bad kham jrong ban ia ki Ksew Shnong (kata ka mut ia ki Ksew Khasi bad ym dei ia ki Ksew Phareng). Ki kham rit bad kham lyngkot khyndiat ia ki Suri. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh ba ka jingwiar, jingkahait bad ka jingjlew jong ki Ksew khlaw ka long kum ka jong ki Ksew Shnong hi.

Ia ka met jong ki Ksew Khlaw la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, ba khah bad ba long lam saw bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh jong ka met pat, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh bym da shai rong bad ba long lam byrleeh bthuh ka rong. Ia u tdong la sop da u shñiuh ba lam saw bthuh ka rong, katba ka bynta ba ha kliar u tdong ka long kaba symphum shñiuh bad u shñiuh ruh u long uba lam byriong ka rong.

Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 3 phut. Haba ki ieng naduh ka sla'jat ba shakmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong shi phut tam bad ar phut duna khyndiat. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka iasyriem bad ka khlieh ki Ksew Shnong, ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw hynrei, ka bynta ba ha kliar ne ha khlieh ki shkor ka long kaba lam pyllun. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kum ki khmat jong ki Ksew Shnong. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kaba lam nep bad ka iasyriem ia ka shyntur jong ki Ksew Shnong. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki Kjat jong ki, ki long kiba khlañ bad ba sted ban march. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba long tylli kum ki tyrsim jong ki Ksew Shnong. Ha ka bynta ba shadien jong ki kjat don ki thnat kumba ki Ksew Shnong ruh ki don.

Ki Ksew khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mard, ki bam naduh ki mrad kiba rit kum ki Khnai haduh ki mrad heh kum ki Sier, ki Shynreh khlaw bad ki Mynthna.

Ki Ksew Khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba im ha ka kynhun kaba hapdeng 7 bad 16 tylli. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh ba ki Ksew Khlaw ki long kiba tbit bha ban beh mrad, bad ki ju leit beh ia ki mrad ba heh, da kaba ialang lang ar ne lai kynhun, bad kata ka kynhun ka long kaba heh bha. Bunsien kawei ka kynhun ka leit buddien ia u mrad bad kiba bun pat ki ia apthap ha ka lynti ba don ar ne lai lad, bad ynda poi u mrad ki jung ha khmat jong uta u mrad khnang ba un matlah shipor bad kumta ki iohlad ban dait ia u.

Dei da ka bor ba khlañ jong ka kynhun ba heh bad da ka jingiadait lang jong ki, kat naba ioh ia ka met u mrad, ba tang hadien katto katne por ki la lah ban pynkyllon ia u mrad uba heh kum u Mynthna ne u Shynreh khlaw ruh. Mar ia kyllon u mrad ki sdang ban iabam haba uta u mrad um pat iap ruh.

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Ki Ksew Khlaw ha ka kynhun kaba rit pat, ki ju leit ban beh thong ia ki Sniang Khlaw, ia ki Skei bad ia kiba kum kita ki mrad. Ki buddien ia ki mrad da kaba iw ne sma ia ki dienjat jong ki mrad da ka khmut jong ki. Ki tang shu iohi ia ka mrad ki sdang ban ia kahait, bad ki iai beh khlem aili haduh ban da ioh ia kata ka mrad ba ki beh. Ia ki mrad kiba rit pat kum ki Risang, ki Rabbit, ki Kui, ki Khnai bad kiba kum kita ki ju beh ia ki tang marwei ruh. Ka por beh mrad jong ki ka long barabor ha ka por step, mynsngi bad janmiet. Hynrei haba ki dang thngan namar ba ki khlem ioh mrad ba kham heh ban bam mynsngi, kumta teng teng wat ha ka por miet ruh ki beh mrad.

Ki Ksew khlaw ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Suri. Ka por shongkha jong ki ka long hapdeng u Naiwieng bad u Nohprah. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long ar bnai tam. Kiba kha khun kham kloï ki ju kha ha u Kyllalynkot bad kiba kham slem ban kha ha u Rymphang. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw ki krem ba don khyndew ne ha ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew kiba la don lypa ha ka mariang ne hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hi. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long ki bym pat peit ki khmat, ki sa lah ban peit ynda ki la don kham bun sngi. Ki Ksew Khlaw, shynrang bad kynthei ki don ka jingkitkhlieh lang ban ri ban sumar, ban psa bad ban pjiah bad ban pynneh pynsan ia la ki khun. Ynda ki la khlaif bha, ki Ksew Khlaw ba la san ki sdang ban ialam ia ki haba ki leit beh mrad.

Ki Ksew Khlaw hapoh Meghalaya ki sngewtynnad bad juh bha ban im bad ban shong ban sah hapoh ki lawbah lawsan kiba don ruh byllai ki mrad khlaw. La lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, ha *Nongkhylliem Reserved Forest*, ha *Umsaw Reserved Forest* sha ki khlaw ba don sha thaiñ Garompani bad shawei de ki jaka. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka Jlgmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Ksew Khlaw:

Namar ba ki Ksew Khlaw ki bam bha ia ki Sniang khlaw bad ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid, kumta ki khanglad ba kine ki mrad kin nym roi shaba palat than, kiba long ruh ka jingpynjulor ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Ksew Khlaw namar ba ki bam ruh ia kiwei pat ki mrad, kumta ki iarap ban khanglad ba ki mrad kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than.

## 17.2 Ki Ksew Khyndew.

Ia kiba ki Jaintia ki khot ki Ksaw Khyndaw, lah ban khot ia ki ha ka ktien Khasi kum ki Ksew Khyndew (Namar bym ioh ia ka kyrteng jong ki ha ka ktien Khasi, kumta yn thoh beit ki Ksew Khyndew). Ki Ksew Khyndew ki don ar jaid, kiba don sha thaiñ Tuber ki long kiba kham heh ban ia kito kiba don sha thaiñ Khliehtyrshi. Kiba don sha thaiñ Tuber ki kham heh ia ki Miaw. Ka met jong ki ka jrong ar phut tam. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba tylli pyllun bad la sop ia ka met jong ki da u shñiuh uba saphum bad ba jem, ba long lam byrtem bñuh ka rong bad don ruh ka jingthoh iong ha ka met jong ki. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba iong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaif bad ba nep har har. Ka khmut jong ki ka long kaba jrong bad ka ia syriem ia ka khmut sniang. Ki shkor jong ki pat, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki kjat bad ki tyrsim kjat jong ki ki long kum ki jong ki Ksew. Ki don artylli ki khmat kiba khlaif ban iohi bad ba phymai bha. U tdong jong ki u long uba lam kdor sha jrong syriem kumba long u tdong jong ki jaid ksew, ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng ki *Spitz*. Ka jingpah jong ki ka long “Kiak - Kiak”.

Ki Ksew Khyndew ki long ki jaid mrad ba ñaid kynhun hapdeng ar bad saw tylli. Ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por step. Ki bam bha ña ki mrad rit. Haba ki wad jingbam ha ki lyngkha shrah ki ju kyntur da ka khmut syriem kumba leh ki sniang, ki bam ruh ña ki Wieh bad ña ki khñiang kiba bun jaid ba don hapoh khyndew.

Ki Ksew Khyndew ki shong ki sah hapoh kɪ thliew ba la don lypa ha ka khyndew. Haba don ba beh ña ki, kloɪ lan ki ñaleh ban rung shapoh kɪ thliew. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliew. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapoh shi snem. Ynda ki khun ki la sngew khlañ ki ñaid noh la ka lynti.

Ha thain Tuber la lap ba kɪ Ksew Khyndew ki don kham bun ha ka khlaw Umsarpung kaba don hapoh ka Raid Tuber bad Shangpung.

Ki Ksew Khyndew kiba don sha thain Khliehtyrshi pat, ki long kiba khamrit. Ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut duna. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba tylli pyllun bad la sop ña ka dɔ u shñiuh ba saphum ba long lam byrñong lieh ka rong. Ha ka shyllangmat jong ki don ka jingthoh dak ñong kaba rit. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ñeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Kɪ khmat jong ki ki long kiba khlañ ban ñohi bad ba phyrnai bha. Narud ka shyntur jong kɪ mih kɪ tmañ kiba ñong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ka khmut jong ki ka long kaba jrong bad ña syriem ña ka khmut Sniang. Ki kjat, kɪ shympriahkjat bad kɪ tyrsim jong ki ki long kum ki jong u Ksew. U tdong jong ki u lam kdor shalor syriem kumba long u tdong jong kɪ jaid ksew ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng ki *Spitz*.

Ka rukom bam, ka por leit wad jingbam, ka jaka sah, ka jaka kha khun bad ka jingpah jong ki ka long hi kum ka jong ki Ksew Khyndew ba don sha thain Tuber. Kɪ don ki briew kiba bam ña ka doh jong ki Ksew Khyndew.

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#### 18.1 Ki Sniang Khlaw.

Ki dei ki mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Sniang Khloo. Ha ka ktien Biate la khot ia ki, kum ki Saphang. Ha ka ktien Garo la tip ia ki kum ki Wak Burung. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Wild Boars*.

Ia ki Sniang khlaw la ju khot ruh ia ki, ki 'Niang Kwang bad ki Sniang Bri. Ka dur ka dar jong ki ka long hi kum ki Sniang Shnong ne ki Sniang Khasi ba ri ki briew. Hynrei, ki kham heh, kham khia bad kham jrong ban ia ki Sniang Khasi. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 5 phut. Haba ki ieng naduh ka sla'jat ba shakhmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki jrong 3 phut. Kiba bun ki sniang khlaw ki khia haduh 90 kilo hynrei, don katto katne napdeng jong ki, kiba long met bah bad ki lah ban khia haduh 200 kilo tam. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba iong bad ba lam bthuh. Halor ka met jong ki naduh ka bynta ba nador jong u ryndang haduh ka bynta ba shadien jong ki, mih u shñiuh treng uba lam jrong, ba eh, ba khaiñ, ba jwat bad ba iong ka rong. Haba ki sngew ba ki don ha ka jingma, ki ju pynieng ia u treng jong ki.

U Bah S.G.Momin u la thoh sha unc u nongthoh, ba, ha Garo Hills don ar jaid ki Sniang Khlaw. Shi jaid ki don ka shyntur kaba lam lyngkot. Shi jaid pat, ki don ka shyntur kaba jrong bad ba nep, ki long kiba kham heh, kham jrong, ba kham spud ka met bad ba domriang bha, kiba ju dait ia ki nongbeh mrad hadien ba ki la mynsaw.

Ka khlieh jong ki Sniang Khlaw ka long kaba heh bad kaba ia syriem kumba long ka khlich ki Sniang Khasi. Ki shkor bad ki khmat jong ki, ki long kum ki jong ki Sniang Khasi hi. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba jrong bad kaba lam nep, ha kliar ka shyntur na ka bynta ba nador don ar tylli ki lieu khmut. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha. Ha ki Sniang shynrang ba la san ju mih ar tylli ki bniat narud ka shyntur jong ki, nador bad narum kiba kdor pyrkhung shalor, bad ba nep bha (yn sa batai kham bniat shaphang ki bniat jong ki kham hadien). Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba khlañ bad ba sted ban mareh. Ha ki kjat jong ki, ki mih ruh ki khnap kiba long kum ki khnap jong ki Sniang Khasi hi. U tdong jong ki u long uba rit, ba lyngkot bad la sop ia u da u shñiuh ba long ka rong kum u shñiuh ba mih ha ka met jong ki.

Ki Sniang Khlaw ki kham mlien ban leit wad jingbam sha ki jaka ba kham ñiar ki dieng bad ba bun u phlang. Ki kham juh ban sah ha ki jaka ba don kham jan sha ka wah. Ki sngewtynnad bha ban kyrsum ha ka ktieh. Haba buid ka met jong ki, ki ju kyrshut ia ka ha ka met jong u dieng, bad lada jia ba ki kyrshut ia ka met jong ki ha u dieng, haba ym pat slem ba ki la dep kyrsum ktieh, ka ktieh na ka met jong ki kan dambit halor ka met jong u dieng ba ki la kyrshut ia la ka met jong ki, bad na ka jingjong jong kata ka dak ktieh ha u dieng lah ban tip ia ka jingjong jong kita ki Sniang ba la khyrshut ha uta u dieng.

Ki Sniang Khlaw ki long kiba ia win, ia kaw kaw, ki pah kruh kruh, keh keh bad ki pah jam haba ki iadait. Ia ka jingpah jam jong ki lah ban iohsngew kham na jngai ruh. Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba don ka bor ban iw bad ban sma kaba khlañ bha hynrei, ka bor ban iohi bad ioh sngew jong ki pat ka long kaba shu biang. Ki long ruh ki mrad ba tbit ban jngi.

Ki Sniang khlaw ki bam ia ki thied jong ki jingthung, ia ka met jong ki jingthung ba mih hapoh khyndew kum ia u Phan, u Phan Karo bad kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ia ki khlaiang, ki Bseif, ia ka met iap jong ki mrad bad wat ia ka doh pyut ruh. Ki pynjulor bha ia ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew bad dei na kane ka daw ba ki briew ki ju siat pyniap bha ia ki.

Ki Sniang Khlaw ki long ki mrad kiba shlur bad kim ju kynran ban ialeh wat ia u Khla ruh. Ha kawei na ki jingpyni ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, une u Nongthoh u la iohi bad iohsngew ia ka jingbatai ha kaba la pyni ia ka jingialeh jong kawei ka Sniang kmie ba dang ri khun bad u Khla. Ka jingialeh ka long kaba itriem, wat la u Khla u long uba heh shibun ia ka Sniang hynrei, kam tieng kam riej, ka iai ialeh wat haba ka la mih snam bad ka la mynsaw jur bha. Hynrei, ha kaba kut te jop hi u Khla namar, u long uba heh bad ba khlaiñ bor.

Ki Sniang khlaw ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Sniang Shnong. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long saw bnai. Ha shwa ba kin kha khun ki Sniang kynthet ki ju thaw ia ka skum kaba heh bad lam pyllun da kaba pynlang thup da ki tnad dieng kiba rit bad da u phlang. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh kine ki skum. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka long baroh shisnem lynter. Ha ka por kha bad haba ki khun ki dang rit, ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba iong bad don ruh ka jingpruid dak ba long ter ter da ka rong ba lam byrtem ha ka met jong ki. Hynrei ynda ki la san kane ka rong ba lam byrtem ka jah noh.

Haba ki khun ki la khlaiñ bha la ju iohi ba ka Sniang kmie ka ju ialam ia ki sha kylleng ki jaka ba ka leit wad jingbam.

Ki Sniang shynrang ba la san pura bha ki ju im marwei. Ha ka ktien Garo ia kine kiba im marwei ki khot ia ki, ki Wak Matte. Hynrei, don pat ki Sniang shynrang kiba la san pura kiba ia im para ba la ia san. Ki Sniang khlaw shynrang ki iadon ryngkat bad ki Sniang khlaw kynthet tang ha ka por ba ki iapoikha. Mar ia dep iapoikha ki la iaid noh la ka jong ka lynti.

Bun ki briew na thaiñ War Jaintia kiba shong ha ki jaka ba khappud bad ka ri Bangladesh, ki iathuh ba ha ka por ba shlei um ka Bangladesh, ki Sniang khlaw na Bangladesh ki ju wan kiew sha ki Shnong jong ki, bad kumta ki sa ioh ban siat bad ban bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki

U Bah Bniha Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Sniang shynrang ruh ki ju shna ia la ki skum da kaba pynlang thup ia ki tnad dieng ba rit bad ia u phlang bad ki ju dem jahthiat bad thiah ruh ha kita ki skum.

Teng teng, ki Sniang khlaw ki ju iaiaid bun kynhun haba ki kynriah jaka ban leit wad jingbam, na kawei ka jaka sha kawei pat. Kham bunsien hi ki ju iaid lang ha ka kynhun ba rit.

U Bah Dwor Mukhim u la iathuh ba ki Sniang Khlaw shynrang ba la san pura ki ju mih ar tylli ki bniat narud ka shyntur jong ki, bad don ruh kiba mih tang kawei ka bniat. Kine ki bniat ba mih shabar ka shyntur jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba jrong, ba kdor pyrkhang shalor bad kiba nep har har kum ka dakar. Ki bniat ki long ruh ki tiar iada ba kongsan eh jong ki. U la iathuh ruh ba napdeng ki Sniang ba la mih bniat, ia kiba u la ioh ban siat, 15 tylli ki long kiba don ar tylli ki bniat, bad 12 tylli pat kiba don tang kawei ka bniat. Kumta ki Sniang khlaw ki lah ban mih ar tylli ki bniat ne tang kawei ka bniat ruh.

U Bah Dwor u la iathuh ruh ba ka long kaba mynsaw ban leit buddien ia u Sniang ba la mynsaw, khamtam ia u Sniang ba la don bniat, namar, hadien ba u Sniang u la iaid katto katne por u

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leit phaidien biang na khap ki phlang ba jrong bad ki dieng, sha ka lynti ba u la dep iaid, bad u sa ap harud lynti, mar iapoi u nongbuddien un kawang tyngeh da ki bniat ba nep jong u, bad lada sniew bok lah ban duh kjat lane wat ban iap ruh.

U Bah Bniat Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Sniang Khlaw, ynda kɪ la tymmen, ki bniat ba mih narud shyntur jong ki, ki ju lop ne hap noh.

Ia ki Sniang khlaw la lap ba ki don ha kylleng sawdong jong ka jylla Meghalaya. Kumba sanphew snem mynshwa, ki dang jyillei bha ha kylleng ka Meghalaya. Hynrei, kumba long mynta, ki la kham duna bad kham niar bha, bad lada ym don ka jingialeh na ka liang ki trai Shnong ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki, te ym slem shuh ki lah ban duhjaid noh na sla kane ka pyrthei. Ha kajuha ka por, na ka liang ka Sorkar ruh, ka la dei ban leh ei ei khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah ia ki, da kaba buh kyrpang kawei ka tnad treikam lyngba ka *Forest Department*, ia kaba yn jer kyrteng ka *Breeding in Captivity*, khnang ban dup lah ban pynroi biang ia ki. La lap ruh ba ki Sniang khlaw ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Sniang khlaw:

Ki Sniang Khlaw da kaba ki bam ia ki khniang, ki iarap ban khanglad ba kɪ khniang kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than.

Ki Sniang Khlaw ki bam ruh ia ki Bseiñ, kiba long ka jingma ia ki briew, kumta ki iarap ruh ban khanglad ba ki Bseiñ kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

Ki Sniang Khlaw ki bam ruh ia ka met iap jong ki mrad bad kɪ bam wat ia ka doh pyut ruh kumta ki iarap ban pynkhuid ia ka pyut ka pyar na ka mariang.

Na u shniuh treng jong ki Sniang la ju shna ia ki brut ai rong, ki brut pushara iing, ki brut juti bad kiwei kiwei de ki jingpyndonkam.

Kumba long mynta ka jylla Meghalaya ka hap ban wallam bun bha kɪ Sniang nabar ka jylla, khnang ban dup lab ban pyndap ia ka jingdawa dohsniang ki briew jong ngi. Ka hap ban pynlut da kɪ Klur tyngka man ka snem. Namarkata, kan bha shibun lada ki briew jong ngi, kin pyrshang noh ban ri ia ki Sniang Khlaw ruh, kumba ki ri ia ki Sniang shnong. Khnang ban lah ban kham pynduna ia ka jingwanrah ia ki Sniang nabar jylla, bad lada kane ka jingpyrshang kan long kaba jop, ki briew jong ngi kin iohnong bha, bad kan long ruh ka jingkyrkhu ia ki briew bad ka jingmyntoi ia ka jylla hi.

## 18.2 Ki Sniang Shakuliar.

Ki long ki jaid Sniang khlaw kiba rit tam. Ki kham heh khyndiat ia ki khun Sniang shnong, kiba la iehnoh ban buiñ kumba katto katne bnai. Sha ka thain Pdengkarong ki khot ia ki, ki Sniang Jaro bad sha ka thain Amkoi ki khot ia ki ki Sniang Jaro. Ki Biata ki khot ia ki, ki Meibulte. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Wak Bone ne ki Wak Salaram. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Pigmy Hogs*.

Ki Sniang Shakuliar haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlich bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng shi phut bad shi phut tam. Haba ki ieng naduh ka slajat ba shakmat haduh ka tyrpeng jong ki, ki



jrōng hapdeng 8 inshi bad 10 inshi. Īa ka met jong ki baroh shiryēng la sop da u shñiuh u bym khah bad ba lam byrōng bthuh ka rōng.

Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba rit, bad ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit hi. Ki khmat jong ki, ki heh kat ki khmat jong ki Sniang khun ba la iehnoh ban buiñ. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep bad ba lyngkot. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki shynrang ba la san pura, ki ju mih kawei ka bniat narud ka shyntur jong ki, syriem kumba long ki Sniang Khlaw shynrang. Hynrei, namar ba ki long ki mrad kiba rit, kumta ki bniat ba mih narud ka shyntur jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit, ba lam kdor shaneng, ba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba rit hynrei, ki long kiba khlaiñ bad kiba lah ban pyndonkam ĩa ki ha kaban mareh sted. Kumba kiwei pat ki jaid Sniang ki don ki khnap ha ki kjat jong ki, kumta ruh ki Sniang Shakuliar ki don la ki jong ki khnap ha ki kjat jong ki. U tdōng jong ki u long uba rit bad ba lyngkot bha, u jrōng kumba shi inshi tam ne duna ar inshi, bad la sop ĩa u da u shñiuh ba lam byrōng bthuh bad ba long kum u shñiuh ba sop ĩa ka met jong ki hi.

Ki Sniang Shakuliar ki long ki jaid mrad kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Namarkata, kham ñiar ban lap ĩa ki. Hynrei, ki ju leit wad jingbam ruh ha ka por sngi haba dum ka bneng, bad hadien ba u lapbah lapsan u dang shu rang. Ki long ruh kiba myllien bad ba juh bha ban im ha ki jaka phlang ba ñiar ki dieng, khamtam ha ki jaka ba don ki phlang ba jrōng.

Ki Sniang Shakuliar ki bam ĩa ki thied jong kiba bun jaid kĳ jhur khlaw, ĩa ka met jong ki jingthung ba mih shapoh khyndew kum ĩa u Phan, u Phankaro bad kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ĩa ki Khñiang, ki Ñiangbshiah, ki Ñiangblen bad ki Bseñ.

Ki Sniang Shakuliar ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Sniang Shnong. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long lai bnai tam, bad ki ju kha khun ruh hapdeng 3 tylli bad 4 tylli, hapdeng u ĩaōng bad u Jymang. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna syriem kumba long ki Sniang Khlaw, da kaba pyllang ĩa u phlang bad ĩa ki tnad dieng kiba rit hynrei, kumba ki long ki mrad kiba rit, kumta ruh ki skum jong ki, ki long kiba rit hi. Ki brierw ki bym peit bha, wat la ki la poi ha ka jaka ba don ki skum jong ki ruh, kin nym lah ban ĩohi ĩa ki namar, ki ju thaw ĩa la ki skum barit jong ki, ha ki jaka ba khah bha ki phlang kiba jrōng. Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba ĩaid ha ka kynhun kaba heh kaba don hapdeng 8 bad 20 tylli hynrei, ki ju ĩaid ruh ha ka kynhun kaba rit kaba don hapdeng 4 tylli bad 8 tylli.

“Ki Sniang Shakuliar (*Pigmy Hogs*) ki long ki Sniang khlaw kiba rit tam ha ka pyrthei bad kiba la jan duh jaid. Ki la nangkha roi ha ka jingsted kaba palat ha ka jaka ba la set khnang ban pynroi ĩa ki”.

“U *Project Manager* ba dei peit ĩa ka prokram ban pynneh pynsah ĩa ki Sniang Shakuliar, u Gautam Narayan ha ka jingai kaiphod ba dang shen, u la ong, ka la don ka jingkiew ba 850 percent jong ka jingbun jong ki, ha ka jaka ba la set ban pynroi ĩa ki, hadien ka aĳom kha kaba lai. Ki Sniang khlaw ba la kham ñiar ne bym kynrei, ĩa kaba la tip kum ki “Nal gahori”, kiba jrōng tam 25 cm ha ka tyrpeng jong ki, la pynbna ba ki la duhjaid ha ka snem 1964 hadien kiba bun ki jingpyrshang ki bym seisoh ban lap ĩa ki ha North Bengal, Nepal bad ha ka *Sub-Himalaya belt* ha *Central Assam*. Mynta la lap ĩa ka jingdon ba duna jong ki ha ki katto katne ki kyntoit ba don sha kham kyndong jong ka *Manas National Park*”.

“U Narayan u la ong ba ka jingkiew ba jur ha ka jingdon jong ki khun Sniang ĩa kaba la sdang da ki “Nongseng” ĩa ka kynhun ba pynkha, kaba don tang ar tylli ki shynrang bad saw tylli ki

Kynthei, ïa kiba la ïoh kem ha ka shiteng snem jong u snem 1996 napoh ka *Manas National Park*. Mynta ki don 48 tylli ki Sniang Shakuliar (28 tylli ki shynrang bad 20 tylli ki kynthei) ha ka *Captive Breeding Centre* ha Bashistha kaba don harud jong ka nongbah Guwahati”.

“Kane ka long ka jingkieu kaba jur bha kat kum ka rukom thew”, la ong u Narayan. U la ïathuh ba ka *Pigmy Hog Conservation Programme* ka long ka jingwad bniah (*Research*) kaba ïar bha bad ka prokram ban pynneh pynsah ïa kaba la seng hadien ka jingïamonjur lang hapdeng ka *Pig and Peccaries Specialist Group, Jersey Wildlife Preservation Trust, State Department of Forest and the Union Ministry of Forest and Wildlife*”.

“U *Project Manager of Conservation Project*, u la ong ba ka jingthmu ba kongsan jong kane ka prokram ka long ban seng ïa ka *Conservation Project* kaba khlaiñ na ka bynta ki *Pigmy Hogs* ban pyllait im bad ban tyngkai ïa ki Sniang Khlaw bym kynrei shuh, na ka jingduh jaid. U Narayan u la ong ba la *plan* ruh ban pule ïa ki jaka phlang (*grassland*) bad ka jingiadei jong ki hapdeng ki kynja ba im bad ka mariang, da kaba ïatreilang bad ka *Algia University* bad ka *Bombay Natural History Society* kan ai ïa ki *Guideline* ha kaban pyntreikam ban pynneh pynsah ïa ki jaka sah ba don ha ka mariang. Ka jingpynjot pathar ïa ki jaka phlang ka long ka jingma bakhraw eh na ka bynta ba kin lah ban im”.

La sot ïa kane ka bynta na ka jingthoh jong u Anirban Roy, ïa kaba la pynmih ha ka kot khubor Phareng ‘*The Telegraph*’ ha ka 12 tarik u *October*, 1998 halor ka *heading*, “*Boom in Pigmy Hog Stock*” ha ka sla ba 7.

Ka Sorkar Meghalaya ruh ka la dei ban buh ïa kaba kum kane ka *Project*, lyngba ka *Forest Department* khnang ban dup lah ban pynkha roi pat, ïa kito ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh, kiba la don mynta ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ïa ki.

Ïa ki Sniang Shakuliar la lap ba ki don ha ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don sha ki katto katne kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha ki katto katne kiwei pat ki ri.

### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Sniang Shakuliar.**

Namar ba ki Sniang Shakuliar ki bam bha ïa ki Khñiang, kumta, ki ïarap ban khanglad ba ki Khñiang kin nym ïoh lad ban roi than shaba palat.

Ki bam ruh ïa ki Bseiñ, kumta ki ïarap ruh, ban khanglad ba ki Bseiñ ba kin nym ïoh ban lad ban roi than shaba palat.

Ngi ïoh ruh ban bam ïa ki doh jong ki Sniang Shakuliar.

Kan long ruh ka jingmyntoi kaba khraw ïa ki briew jong ngi, lada kin lah ban ri ïa ki Sniang Shakuliar kumba ri ïa ki Sniang Shnong namar, ha ka jingkhawai kiba rit lah ban pyniap da ki, kiba long ruh ki jaid Sniang kiba rit, kumta ki nongkhawai ruh kin kham duna ka jinglutksan. Ha kajuha ka por, da ka jindon jong ki, kan kham pynduna ïa ka jingwanrah ïa ki Sniang nabar jylla.

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ña kiba la tip, ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Sniang Ju. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Wak-Sel. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Hog Badgers*.

Ki Ñiangliju kim dei ki Sniang, wat la ki don ka jingñasyriem kaba jan bha, ha ka dur ka dar bad ki Sniang, namar, kim don ki khnap ha ki kjat jong kɪ, kumba don kɪ Sniang. Ha ki jaka ki khnap, don da ki shympriahkjat bad kɪ tyrsim. U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba kham heh bad kham jrong shibun, ban ña u tdong jong kɪ Sniang.

Kɪ Ñiangliju haba kɪ la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut duna bad 2 phut tam. Ka khlieh bad ka shyntur jong kɪ, ka ñasyriem ña ka jong ki Sniang. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, kiba lam pyllun bad kiba ñeng. Kɪ Khmat jong ki, ki long kiba kham rit ña ki khmat Sniang. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih kɪ tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba shu biang ka jingjong. Ki hniat jong kɪ, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki kjat jong ki kɪ long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ. Kɪ shympriahkjat jong ki, kɪ long kiba jrong. Ha kɪ shympriahkjat jong ki mih kɪ tyrsim kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ki pyndonkam ña kɪ tyrsim jong ki, ha kaba tih ne khlong ña ka khyndew, khnang ba kan long thliew, te kumta kin dup ñoh ban shong ban sah, hapoh jong kita kɪ thliew. Kɪ ju shong ju sah ruh hapoh ki krem maw, kiba don bad ka khyndew, kiba la don lypa ha ka mariang. U tdong jong kɪ, u long uba jrong bad ba kham heh.

Ña ka met jong ki Ñiangliju, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh uba long lam byrlich stem bad bthuh ka rong. Hynrei, kɪ don ruh kiba ña ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong bthuh ka rong. Ki don pat kiba ña ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba lam byrtem ñong, ña ka bynta ba nador ryndang, la sop da u shñiuh uba ñong. ña ka bynta ba napoh ryndang la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong. Narud kɪ khmat jong ki don ka bynta khyndiat, ña kaba la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh. Najan kɪ shkor bad narud u shñiuh uba lieh, ba don hajan kɪ khmat la sop da u shñiuh uba ñong. Nador ka khlieh haduh ha trai jong ka khmut pat, la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh. ña ka bynta jong ki krung pat, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem lieh. ña kɪ kjat pat, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong saw malu mala. ña u tdong ruh, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong.

U Bah. S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba kɪ Ñiangliju ki don ka shyntur, kaba long kum ka shyntur Sniang hynrei, u tdong jong kɪ u ñasyriem, ña u tdong Myrsiang. Kɪ kjat jong ki ruh, ki long ki bym don khnap, kumba don ki Sniang. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad, kiba lah ban pynmih ña ka jingsma kaba jur bha, khnang ban beh ña ki nongshun jong ki. La khot ña ki, ki Wak-Sel ha ka ktien Garo, na ka daw ba ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kum ka shyntur Sniang, bad ki pah ruh kumba pah ki Sniang.

Ki Ñiangliju ki long ki jaid mrad, kiba wad jingbam ha ka por miet, kumta kham ñiar ban lap ki briew ña ki, lait noh ki nongsiat mrad, kiba bunsien ki ju sah miet, shapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Ki bam bha ña ki Wieh, ki Khñiang ba bun jaid kum ña ki khñiang tyrkhang (*Centipede*), ki 'ñiangkalaw bad kiba kum kita ki jaid khñiang. Ki bam ruh ña ki ñiangbsiah (*Ramashieh ne Lizard*), ki ñiangblen (*Rymblen ne Skink*), ña ki pylleng jong ki sim ba kha pylleng ha ki skum, ba ki shna halor khyndew, bad ña ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

## KI NĪANGLIJU

U Bah Plan Kjam ba sah ha ka dong Shilliangraij, Jowai u la iathuh ba ka doh jong ki Nĭangliju, ka long kaba khleiñ bad ba sma khyndew.

Ki Nĭangliju ki iapoikha, kumba iapoikha ki Sniang. Ki kha khun ha ka por Lyiur, hapdeng 2 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw, ba ki la tih hi ha ka khyndew, ne hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew, kiba la don lypa ha ka mariang. Ki ri khun hapoh shi snem.

Ia ki Nĭangliju la lap, ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Nĭangliju:**

Namar ba ki long ki mrad kiba bam bha ia ki khñiang ki ksiah kiba bun jaid, kumta ki iarap ban khanglad, ba ki khñiang ki ksiah kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than.

Ki briew jong ngi ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki Nĭangliju.

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*Ki Nĭangliju (dur haneng) ki kham heh bad jrong ka shyntur ban ia ki Nĭanglijoid (dur hapoh)*



## Lynnong 20

### KI ÑIANGLIJOID

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Sniang Joid. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki, ki Saphi Vak hi. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Wak-Sel Selavam. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Chinese Ferret Badgers*.

Ki Ñianglijoid ki kham rit ban ña ki Ñiangliju ha ka jingheh. Ki long ruh ki bym don khnap ha ki kjat jong ki, kumba don ki Sniang. Ha ki jaka ki khnap, mih da ki shympriahkjat bad ki tyrsim, kumba long ki Ñiangliju bad ki don ruh ka jingasyriem kaba ñajan bha bad ki Ñiangliju. Ki Ñianglijoid haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut shiteng. U tdong jong ki pat u jrong 8 inshi tam. Ka khlieh, ka shyntur bad ka khmut jong ki, ki ñasyriem kumba long ki Ñiangliju. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat, ar tylli ki shkor kiba rit bad ba lam pyllun. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih katto katne tylli ki tmaiñ. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki, don ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar jong ki shympriahkjat, ha ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ña ka met bad u tdong jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jrong, ba khaiñ bad ba bthuh ka rong. Haneng ka khmut khyndiat, don ka jingthoh rong lieh tiak. Haneng kane kaba lieh pat don ka jingthoh rong дума khyndiat. Haneng ka rong дума pat, don ka jingpruid dak kum u laiñ ba da ka rong lieh haduh ba kut u ryndang; na ka bynta ba nalog ryndang, ki ngap bad ka bynta ba napoh ryndang pat, ki long kiba lieh ka rong.

Ki Ñianglijoid ki long ki jaid mrad, kiba sngewtynnad ban im hapoh ki khlaw ki btap bad ha ki pyntha phlang ruh. Ki long ki jaid mrad kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Mar ña kem ñongreiñ, ki la mih napoh ki thliw ki krem ba ki shong ki shah, ban leit wad jingbam. Ha ka por sngi pat, ki thiah ki dem hapoh ki thliw ki krem, ba ki la tuh hi ne ha ki thliw ba la don lypa ha ka mariang. Ki long ki jaid mrad kiba bam bun jaid - ki bam ña ki soh khlaw, ki sim, ki mrad rit, ki khnai ba bun jaid. Ki bam ruh ña ki khñiang ki ksiah kum ña ki ñiangkalaw, ki wieh bad ña ki thied jong ki dieng. Ka long ruh kaba shitom ban lap ña ki namar, ki mih shabar napoh ki thliw ki krem ba ki shong ki sah, tang ha ka por miet. Dei ki nongsiat mrad, kiba sah miet sha khlaw kiba ju lap ña ki. Ki Ñianglijoid ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Sniang. Ki ju kha khun hapdeng lai tylli bad san tylli, hapoh ki thliw ki krem ba ki shong ki sah. Ka por ri khun jong ki, ka long hapoh shi snem.

Ña ki Ñianglijoid la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei kiwei ki jaka jong ka Khasi Hills. Ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei kiwei ki jaka jong ka Garo Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills la lap ba ki don sha ki thaiñ Hingkaria, Huroi, Lama, Lakadong, Saipung bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ki don ruh sha kawei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Ñianglijoid:**

Namar ba ki Ñianglijoid ki bam bha ña ki Khnai ba bun jaid bad ña ki Khñiang ki Ksiah ba har rukom, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaba khanglad ba ki khnai bad ki khñiang ki ksiah kin nym ñoh ban roi sha ba palat than.

Ngi ñoh ruh ban bam ña ka doh jong ki Ñianglijoid.

## Lynnong 21

### KI DYNGKHIED BAD KI BRAI

#### 21.1 Ki Dyngkhied.

Ha ka ktien Jaintia ruh la tip ãa ki kum ki Dyngkhied hi. Ki Biate ki khot ãa ki, ki Sanku. Ki Garo pat ki khot ãa ki ki Okgipu bad ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ãa ki kum ki *Porcupines*.

Ki Dyngkhied ki long ki mrad kiba ãapher bha na kiwei pat ki jaid mrad namar, ãa ka met jong ki la sop lang da u shñiuh uba jrong, ba eh, ba jwat bad ba ãong ka rong, lem bad ki speh kiba long kum ki nar thaiñ, kiba stem ka khlieh bad ka trai jong ki hynrei, ka bynta ba hapdeng jong ki speh ka long kaba jngem ka rong. Ha u ryndang bad ki tyrpeng jong ki, ki speh ki long kiba jrong hapdeng 6 inshi bad 12 inshi bad ki long kiba phai shadien. Ki don ruh ki speh kiba mih ha khap u shñiuh ha ka met jong ki bad ki long kiba lyngkot hynrei, ki long pat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep. Ki speh kiba lieh kiba mih sha ka bynta ba shadien ka met jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha, bad ki long ruh ki atiar ãada ba khlaiñ bha jong ki. Ki speh ba lieh bad ba don thliw kiba mih hajan u tdong jong ki, ki ju pynmih ãa ka jingsawa ba riew khriaw-khriaw, haba ki pynkhih ãa ka met jong ki.

Ki Dyngkhied ki pyndonkam ãa ki speh ha kaban ãada ãa lade. Haba ki don ha ka jingma, ki pynpyrkhung ãa la ka met bad ki pynñeng ãa ki speh jong ki. Ki pah dom bad ki pynriew ruh ãa ki speh ba don thliw jong ki, kiba mih hajan u tdong jong ki. Nangta ki sa tynrah, ãa ki mrad ba mut ban dait ãa ki, da ki speh ba don ha ka met jong ki bad teng teng kita ki mrad ki ãap na ka jingmynsaw ba ki shah dung ha ki speh jong ki.

Ki Dyngkhied ki don ka khlieh kaba heh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. ãa ka khmat, ki ngab bad ka bynta ba nabar jong ka shyntur jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lyngkot bad ba jem, ba long lam byriong bthuh ka rong bad don ruh u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. ãa ka khlieh pat la sop da u shñiuh ba kham jrong bad ba jem ba da ka rong ãong bad ba lieh. Ha baroh ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ka bor iw jong ki ruh ka long kaba khlaiñ bha bad haba ki ãaid ha ka lynti ba ki ju ãaid ha khlaw, lada ki briew ki buh jingriam, ki kiar ãa kata ka jaka ba don jingriam bad kim ju kham ngat thala ha ki jingriam ba la pynap. U tdong jong ki u jrong saw inshi.

Ha ka por sngi, ki Dyngkhied ki ju thiah hapoh ki thliw maw ba don bad ka khyndew ne ha ki thliw ba ki la tih hi hapoh khyndew. Kì ju thiah sngi ruh ha trai jong ki dieng bad ki phlang kiba jrong. Mar ãa kem ãongreiñ ne tang shu dum, ki mih napoh ki thliw ki krem ba ki shong ki sah bad ki leit ban wad jingbam. Ki bam ãa ki jaid jhur ba bun jaid kum ãa u phankaro, u phan shet jyntah, ka shriew, u karot, bad kiba kum kita ki jaid jhur. Ki bam ruh ãa u riewhadem, u kba, u krai bad ãa ki jingthung jingtep ba bun jaid. Lada ki don hajan ki jaka rep jong ki briew, ki pynjot bad pynjulor bha ãa ki jingthung jingtep. Ki bam ruh ãa ki thied bad ãa ki soh dieng khlaw ba bun jaid kiba hap sha madan namar, ki long ki mrad ki bym lah ban kiew dieng.

U Bah Bniat Lathong ba na ka Shnong Khatkasla ula ãathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba ki Dyngkhied ki bam bha ãa ki shyieng bad ki reng jong ki mrad da kaba shrut ãa ki. U la ãathuh ruh ba hajan jong ki thliw ne ki krem ba ki shong ki sah la ju lap ba don ki shyieng bad ki reng mrad ba ki

wanrah na kiwei pat ki jaka ba don ki mrad ba la iap. Namar ha ki shyieng bad ki reng, don u kynja dawai ba ki khot ha ka ktien phareng u *Calcium* bad ka shun, kumta da kaba bam ia ki shyieng bad ki reng jong ki mrad ka iarap ban pynmih bad ban pynsan pynheh ia ki speh jong ki. Ha ki jaka ba ki speh kim don shuh namar ba ki la tynrah ia ki mrad ba mut ban dait ia ki, ju mih biang da kiwei pat ki speh.

Don ki bried kiba ju iathuh ba ki Dyngkhied ki lah ban siat da ki speh jong ki wat ia ki soh ba don halor dieng, bad hadien katto katne sngi kita ki soh ki sa hap sha madan bad ki sa ioh ban bam ia ki. Kane ka jinglong ne ka jingiathuh ka long ka bym shisha namar unc u Nongthoh u la kylli na kiba bun ki bried kiba kham tip shaphang ki mrad bad na kito ki bried ba ju smat bha ban leit siat mrad la ki ju iohi shisha da la ki jong ki khmat ba ki Dyngkhied ki siat da ki speh jong ki ia ki soh ba don halor dieng? Ne lada ki ju iohi ia u soh ba dang don halor dieng uba don bad u speh jong u Dyngkhied? Ym don uwei ruh uba la jubab ba u la iohi hynrei, tangba ki la iohshgew ba don ba iathuh khana shaphang kane. Haba bishar ruh na kaba ki Dyngkhied kim lah siat da ki speh jong ki, ia ki mrad ba mut ban dait ia ki, kiba don hajan jong ki, hynrei, ki hap ban tynrah ia kita ki mrad da ka met jong ki khnang ba ki speh kin dung ia kita ki mrad. Kumta, kane ka pynshisha ba ki Dyngkhied kin nym lah ban siat da ki speh jong ki ia ki soh ba don halor dieng. Namar lada ki lah ban siat ia ki soh ba don halor dieng, kin jin da la siat ruh da ki speh jong ki ia kito ki mrad ba mut ban dait ia ki, kiba wan shajan jong ki.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la iathuh ha unc u Nongthoh ba ka jingiaipoikha jong ki Dyngkhied ka iapher bha na kiwei pat ki mrad namar, haba ki iapoikha ki thiah da thiah bad ia kane u la iohi da la ki jong ki khmat. U la iathuh ruh ba namar ka met jong ki ka dap da ki speh kumta kim lah ban iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Sniang. U la iathuh ruh ba ha ka por ba ki Dyngkhied ki wad kurim ki ju pah jah-kir, jah-kir, jah-kir. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long hapoh ar bnai tam. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng ar lane saw tylli, wat la ki Dyngkhied kynthei ki don haduh hynrew tylli ki jymbuiñ ruh. Ki jymbuiñ jong ki ruh ki mih ha ki krung lai tylli ha kawei kawei ka krung, kaba long kaba pher na ka jingmih jymbuiñ jong kiwei kpat ki mrad. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliew ba don hapoh khyndew bad ki ju kha ruh tang shisien shisnem ha u Lber bad u Iaiiong. Ha ka por ba dang kha, ki khun ki long kiba la peit khmat, u shñiuh bad ki speh jong ki ruh ki long kiba jem bha. Hynrei, hadien shiphew ne khadar sngi, u shñiuh bad ki speh ki la eh kum ki jong ki Dyngkhied kiba la san la heh.

Ki bried kiba la ioh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki Dyngkhied, ki iathuh ba ka long ka doh kaba ban bha.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la iathuh ruh ha unc u Nongthoh ba ha ka por ba ki Dyngkhied ki iap, ka mynsiem jong ki ka kut ha u tdong jong ki.

Ia ki Dyngkhied la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad ha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

La lap ba ki Dyngkhied ki don kham bun hapoh ka khlaw *Nongkhylliem Wildlife Sanctuary* bad hapoh ka khlaw *Umsaw Reserved Forest*. Hynrei, sha kiwei pat ki jaka te ki la duna bha bad kumta la kham ñiar ban lap ki bried ia ki.

**Ka Jingmyntol ba ngi ioh na ki Dyngkhied:**

Ngi ioh ban bam ia ka doh ba bang jong ki Dyngkhied.

Namar ba ka doh jong ki Dyngkhied ka long kaba bang bha, katkum ba la iathuh da kito kiba la ioh ban bam ia ka, ha kajuh ka por ki Dyngkhied ki long kiba bam bha ia ki jhur ki jhep ba bun jaid, ki soh ba bun jaid bad ia ki shyieng bad ia ki reng mrad. Namarkata, kam long kaba shitom ban ri ia ki. Lada ngin lah ban ri ia ki Dyngkhied, kan iarap ban pynduna ia ka jinghap ban wallam ia ki sniang na bar jylla, kaba la poi da ki Klur tyngka man ka snem. Kumta, ka Sorkar, na ka liang jong ka, ka la dei ban pynshlur ia ki briew jong ngi ban ri noh da ki Dyngkhied. Ki briew jong ngi ruh ki la dei ban ri noh ia kine ki mrad ba bang doh bad lada ka jingri ia ki kan long kaba jop khlem artatien kan wanrah ka jingmyntoi kaba khrav ia ki briew jong ngi.

**21.2 Ki Brai Heh.**

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Thabrai. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Sakik. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Okgipu Salaram bad ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Hodgson's Porcupines*.

Ki Brai Heh ki long ki mrad kiba don ka jingiasyriem kaba ia jan bha bad ki Dyngkhied. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlich bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong lai inshi. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat, ka khlich bad ka shyntur jong ki ka long kum ka jong ki Dyngkhied. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit. Ki don saw tylli ki kjat bad ki shympriahkjat jong ki long kiba don tyrsim kumba long ki Dyngkhied. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha.

Ia ka met jong ki Brai Heh la sop lang da u shñiuh uba iōng ka rong bad ki speh syriem kumba long ki Dyngkhied. Hynrei ki speh jong ki, ki long kiba kham rit bad long lyngknap. ym kiba pyllun kumba long ki speh ki Dyngkhied.

Ki Brai Heh ki leit wad jingbam ha ka por janmiet haduh ban da kynjat shai kumba long ki Dyngkhied. Ki bam ia ki khñiang ki puit, ki wieh, ki Bseñ, ki mattah, ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad ki bang bha ban bam ia ki nub. Ha ka por sngi ki thiah hapoh ki thliw kiba don hapoh khyndew ne ha trai jong ki dieng.

Ki Brai Heh ki don ka bor jingiohsngew kaba khlañ bha. Ka bor iw jong ki ruh ka long kaba khlañ.

Ki Brai Heh ki iapoikha da kaba thiah kumba iapoikha ki Dyngkhied namar ma ki ruh ki don ki speh halor ka met jong ki, kumta kim lah ban iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Sniang. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka long hapteng u Lber bad u Jylliew, kata ia kito ki Brai ba kham kloï ban kha. Kiba kham stem pat ban kha khun ki ju kha hapteng u Nailar bad u Nailur. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapteng saw tylli bad san tylli, tengkhat ki ju kha haduh hynriew tylli. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapoh shi snem

La lap ba ki Brai heh ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya. Mynshwa ki bun bha hynrei, mynta te ki la kham duna bha namar ba ki briew ki siat pynlap ia ki bad bam ia ka doh jong ki. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.



**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Brai Heh.**

Namar ba ki Brai heh ki bam ia ki khñiang, ki puit bad ia ki Bseiñ, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki khñiang ki puit bad ki Bseiñ ba kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than. Kiba bun ki briew jong ngi ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki Brai Heh.

**21.3 Ki Brai Rit.**

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Thabrai Khian. Ki Biata ki khot ia ki, ki Sarku chi khatka. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Okupu bad ha ka ktien phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Hedgehogs*.

Ki Brai Rit ki don ka jingiasyriem bad ki Sniang. Ka khmut jong ki ruh ka long kaba jrong kum ka khmut Sniang. Ki don ka khlieh kaba rit, ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba lam pyllun malu mala. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba phyrnai. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba lam at pyrkhung bad ba sop ia ka bynta ba nalar ka met da ka speh ba rit syriem kum ki jong ki Brai Heh. Ia ka khmat bad ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki kaba kynthup ia ka pohryndang, shadem bad kpoh, la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba lyngkot bad long lam byriong bthuh ka rong. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba iong ka rong. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, ba tylli bad ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim ba eh bad ba lam kdor. U dtong jong ki u long uba lyngkot bha.

Ki Brai Rit haba ki don ha ka jingma, ki ju kñi ia ka met jong ki mlon. Kumta ki mrad ba mat ban dait ia ki kim lah shuh ban leh ei ei bad ki hap ban leit noh.

Ki Brai Rit ki long ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por mar ia kem iongñiñ. Ki wad jingbam ruh baroh shimiet. Hynrei mar ia kynjat shai ki leit phai noh sha la ki thliw ba ki shong ki sah. Ki bam ia ki khñiang ki puit ba bun jaid, ia ki khnai, ki wieh, ki mattah, ki ñiangñien, ki ñiangbshiah, ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad ia ki thied jong ki dieng. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw ia kiba la siang da u 'langiap bad da ki sla diengiap. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba mih shñiuh malu mala bad ki long ruh ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat.

La lap ba ki Brai rit ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya. Hynrei kiba bun ki briew kim ju iohi ia ki namar, ba ki long ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Brai Rit:**

Namar ba ki Brai Rit ki long ki jaid mrad ba bam bha ia ki khñiang, ki puit ba bun jaid bad ki khnai, kumta ki iarap ban khanglad ba ki khñiang ki puit bad ki khnai kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat. Ki briew jong ngi ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki brai rit.

## Lynnong 22

### KI TNGAW

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Tngo. Ki Biate ki khot ïa ki, ki Idor. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki ki Ranggol. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la ip ïa ki kum ki *Apes*.

U Dr. J.S. Lister u la ïathuh, “Ba ha Meghalaya dei tang ki Huleng, kiba dei ki Tngaw ba shisha. Namar ba kim don tdong bad ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki, ki kham jrong kham bun ban ïa ki kjat ba shadien jong ki, kumba long ki *Gorillas*, ki *Chimpanzees* kiba long ki jaid Tngaw kiba im ha ki ri ba don hapoh ka dewbah Africa bad kum ki *Orangutangs* kiba long ki jaid Tngaw ba don ha Borneo bad ha Sumatra. Hynrei, ki briew jong ngi ki khot ki Tngaw ïa ki *Common Langurs*, Ki *Capped Langurs* bad ïa ki *Golden Langurs* kiba don u tdong uba jrong. Wat la kumta ruh, ngi hap hi ban khot ïa ki, ki Tngaw kumba ki longshwa ki manshwa ki la jer kyrteng ïa ki”.

### 22.1 Ki Tngaw Lieh.

Ki dei ki jaid Tngaw ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Tngo Walieh. Ki Biate ki khot ïa ki, ki Idor. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki, ki Rangngol. Katba ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ïa ki kum ki *Common Langurs*.

Ki Tngaw Lieh haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 3 phut duna bad 3 phut tam. U tdong jong ki, u kham jrong ban ïa ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki. ïa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba jem, ba jlih bad ba byrlieh ka rong. ïa ka khmat, ïa ki ryndangkti bad ki ryngdangktat, bad ïa ka bynta ba nador ki shympriah’ti bad shympriahkjat, la sop da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. ïa u tdong ba jrong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba byrlieh ka rong. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba don jingat, ha ka bynta kaba nador. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor bad ar tylli ki khmat, kawei ka khmut kaba don ar tylli ki thliw khmut bad kawei ka shyntur. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki ruh ki long kiba jrong, katba ki shympriahkjat kmie jong ki pat, ki long kiba lyngkot. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Kumba long kiwei pat ki jait Tngaw, ki Tngaw lieh kynthei ki don ar tylli ki jymbuiñ halor ka shadem jong ki.

Ki Tngaw Lieh ki long kiba myllien bad ba juh ban shong ban sah bad ban im halor jong ki dieng kiba heh. Ki long ruh ki jaid Tngaw kiba im, da kaba bam ïa ki soh khlaw kiba bun jaid, ki shylluid syntiew, ki syntiew bad ïa ki sla dieng ba bun jaid bun sker. Ki trai shnong ba shong ba sah, shajan ki khlaw ba don kine ki jaid Tngaw ki ïathuh ba kine ki jaid Tngaw kim ju pynjot ïa ki jingthung-jingtep bad ïa ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew. Katba ki Shrieh pat, ki ju pynjot bad pynjulor bha ïa ki jingthung-jingtep bad ïa ka rep ka riang jong ki briew. Ka por ba ki leit wad jingbam bha, ka long ha ka por step bad ha ka por janmiet. Ha ka por shitent sngi, ki ju shongthait, ha ki jaka ba tngen sngi kiba don halor jong ki dieng. Ki tang shu ïohi ïa uno uno u jaid khla ki ju pynmih ïa ka jinghylla ka jingkyrhaw kaba jam bha kaba pynlong ïa baroh ki Tngaw ba don ha kata ka jaka ban rypsied, ban kynthih, ban ryngkoh na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, bad phet krad sha jngai na ka jaka ba don u Khla. Ki long ruh kiba tieng briew bha; ki tang shu ïohi briew ki la phet rieh. Ha ka por miet ki dem ban thiah ha ki bynta ba kham sha kliar jong ki diengbah, ha ki tnad ki bym da heh, khnang ba lada wan u Khla un ym nud ban kiew sha ka jaka ba ki don. Namar, u Khla u long uba

kham khia bun shah ban ia ki, kumta lada u pyrshang ban kiew sha ka jaka ba ki don, ki tnad dieng kin kdiah bad un hap shapoh madan bad iap.

Ki Tngaw lieh ki ju im ha ka knah ne ka kynthun kaba rit, kaba kynthup ia u kpa, ka kmie bad i khun. Hynrei, ha ka por ba ki leit wad jingbam, lah ban tohi ba ki don haduh 10 tylli ne tam ha kajuh ka jaka. Ha kaba kum kane ka por, ki la don bun knah bad kumta lah ban khot ia ki, ki Tngaw bhur.

Ki Tngaw Lieh ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Shrieh. Ki Tngaw Lieh kynthei ynda ki la dap 3 snem tam ne 4 snem, ki la long kiba la samla pura bha, kumta ki lah ban iapoikha poiman, ban punkhun bad kha khun ruh. U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh, ba "Ki Tngaw Lieh ki long ki bym da roi bha namar, ki kha khun shisien ar snem ne lai snem, bad ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha".

U Bah Kynia Beh u la iathuh, ba "Ka por punkhun jong ki Tngaw Lieh ka long shiteng snem ne 180 sngi. Kiba kham kloi ban kha, ki ju kha khun ha u bnai Kyllalyngkot bad ha u Rymphang. Kiba kham slem ban kha pat, ki kha khun ha u Lber bad ha u Iaiiong. Ka Tngaw Lieh ka long ruh, kaba ieid khun palat bad ka ialam ia la i khun kat shaba ka leit, da kaba ka rah ia i ha ka shadem jong ka. Ynda i khun i la kham san, ka sa bah ia i halor ka met jong ka Dei ruh ha ka por ri khun ba ka kmie ka hikai ia la i khun ban tip ban jied ia ki sohkhlaw ba bun jaid, ki sla dieng ba bun jaid, ia ki shylluit bad ia ki syntiew kiba bit ban bam. Ka por ri khun jong ki ruh ka long hapdeng shisnem tam bad ar snem duna. Ka kmie barabor ka ju iit ksi iit thyllah ia la i khun. Ki Tngaw Lieh, para ba la san ruh, ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kylliang".

Ki Tngaw Lieh ym tang ba ki long kiba thit ban kiew dieng, hynrei ki long ruh kiba khlaif bad ba lah ban kynthih na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Haba ki dieng ki don marjan kim hap ban hiar khyndew lada ki kwah ban kiew ia uwei pat u dieng, ki shu rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat. Ki nongsiat mrad ki iathuh ba haba thew da ka suloi ban siat ia ki Tngaw Lieh ne ia kiwei pat ki jaid Tngaw ruh, ki ju nguh ia u nongsiat da kaba ki pyndait lang ia ki slakti bad ki shympriah'ti jong ki baroh ar tylli bad pyndem ruh ia la ka khlieh. Kumta bun ki nongsiat mrad kim ju siat ia ki. Hynrei, don hi katto katne ki nongsiat mrad, wat la ki la nguh ruh ki siat ia kiba pli, tangba kito kiba la siat wat haba ki la nguh la dem ruh, kim ju ioh jingsuk ne shem bha shem miat hadien habud.

Ki Khar Hindu ki niewburom bad kheiñ kyntang ia kine jaid Tngaw namar, la tip ruh ia ki kum ki *Hanuman Monkeys*. Kumta, sha ri Dkhar kine ki jaid Tngaw ki jyllei bha namar, bym don kiban pynshitom ne pyniap ia ki. Kim sheptieng ruh ia ki briew bad kumta ki shong ki sah wat hapoh ki shnong ki thaw ruh. Katba, kiba don sha ngi pat ki long kiba lehraiñ bieit bad ba tieng briew bha.

Ia ki Tngaw Lieh la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya hapoh ka *Nongkhyllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest*, ha ki khlaw kiba don hapoh ka *Saipung Sirdarship*, sha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Labang Nongphyllut Elaka, hapoh ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## 22.2 Ki Tngaw Iong.

Ki dei ki jaid Tngaw ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Tngo waiong. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Jongvom. Ki Garo ia kine ruh ki khot ia ki Rangngol hi. Katba ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Capped Langurs*.

Ki Tngaw Iong haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut bad 2 phut tam. U tdong jong ki u kham jrong ban ia ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki. Ki Tngaw Iong

kynthei ki kham rit khyndiat ban ïa ki Tngaw ïong shynrang, bad ki don ar tylli ki jymbuiñ halor ka shadem jong ki. Ki don ka khlieh kaba heh bad halor ka khlieh jong ki don ka jingat, kaba long kum ka tupia bad dei na kane ka daw ba la khot ïa ki ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Capped Langurs*. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor bad ar tylli ki khmat, kawei ka khmut kaba don ar tylli ki thiew khmut bad kawei ka shyntur. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaifñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki kham jrong ban ïa ki kjat ba shadien jong ki. ïa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba byrñong bthuh ka rong. ïa ka khmat bad ka bynta ba sha kliar u tñong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba byrñong ka rong. Wat la ki long kiba byrñong bthuh ka rong, hynrei ki bñiew jong ngi ki khot ïa ki, ki Tngaw ïong kumba la jer kyrteng ki longshwa manshwa ïa ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaifñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong, katba ki shympriahkjat kmie jong ki pat ki long kiba lyngkot.

Ki Tngaw ïong barabor ki shong ki sah bad wad jingbam halor ki dieng kiba heh. Kumta ñiar ba kin hiar sha madan madiah ne khyndew. Ki dih um na ki umjer ba snoh ha ki sla dieng bad ha ki syntiew. Hynrei, ha ka por rang tyrkhong, ki ju hiar sha khyndew ban leit dih um ha ka por step bad por janmiet na ki wah ba don hapoh ki khlaw ba ki shong ki sah. Ki im ruh hapoh ki khlaw kiba heh bad ba rben bha. Kumba long ki Tngaw lich, ki Tngaw ïong ruh ki im da kaba bam ïa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ïa ki sla dieng ba bun jaid bun sker, ïa ki shylluit jong ki syntiew bad ïa ki syntiew de. Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba tieng bad lehraiñ bieit bha. Ki tang shu ïohi bñiew ki la phet krad bad rich. Haba ki ïohi ïa u Khla, ki ju pynmih ka jingkyrkaw kaba jur bha ka jingsawa. Ki im ha ka knah ne ka kynhun ka bym da heh eh, ha kaba u shynrang uba heh eh bad ba khlaifñ tam u long u nongñalam jong ka knah.

Ki Tngaw ïong ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha ki Shrieh. Ka por shongkha jong ki ka long ha ka por tlang. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long 6 bnai tam. Ki ri khun hapteng shisnem tam bad arsnem duna. Ka Tngaw kynthei ka la long kaba samla bha, ynda ka dap 3 snem tam ne 4 snem, bad kumta ka la lah ban ïapoikha bad ban kha khun ruh. Ki Tngaw ïong ruh ki long ki bym da roi bha namar, ki kha khun shisien ar snem tam, bad ki kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Ha ka por ri khun, ka Tngaw khynthei ka ïalam ïa la i khun kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ïa la i khun halor ka shadem jong ka. Ka pyllut ruh bun ka por ha kaba ïit ksi ïit thyllah ïa la i khun. Ki Tngaw ba la san la rangbah ruh ki ju ïa ïit ksi ïit thyllah mar kyliang para ma ki. Ki Tngaw ïong ki wad jingbam bha ha ka por step bad por janmiet. Ha ka por shiteng sngi, namar ba ka sngi ka shit kyr'ang bha, kumta ki ju shongthait ha kane ka por halor ki tñad dieng ba don jingda ne jingkah na ka jingshit ka sngi. Ki long ruh ki jaid Tngaw ki bym ju pynjot ne pynjutor ïa ka rep ka riang bad ka jingthung-jingtep jong u khun bynreiw.

ïa ki Tngaw ïong la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills. La lap ruh ba ki don hapoh *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, ha ka *Umsaw Reservec Forest* bad ha ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don ha Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don sha thaiñ Khatkasla, ha ki khlaw ba don harud ka wah Khyrniam, kaba don hapoh Saipung Sirdarship bad ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut. Ki Tngaw ïong ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## 22.3 Ki Tngaw Stem.

Ki dei ki jaid Tngaw ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Tngo wa-stem. Ki Biате ki khot ïa ki, ki Jongkhat. Ki Garo ïa kine ruh ki khot ïa ki, ki Rangngol Gitchak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ïa ki, kum ki *Golden Langurs*.

Ki Tngaw Stem, haba ki la san pura bha, ka met bad ka khlieh jong ki ka jrong hapdeng shiphut tam bad ar phut duna. U tdong jong ki u kham jrong ban ia ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki. Ia ka met jong ki, la sop baroh shiryñieng da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba stem phymai haba ki don ha ka jaka ba dei sngi. Kaba phylla ka long lada ki don ha ka jaka ba dum ne bym dei sngi ka rong u shñiuh jong ki, ka kylla stem kum ka makhon. Dei na ka jinglong stem phymai jong u shñiuh jong ki, haba ki don ha ka jaka ba dei sngi, ba la khot ia ki ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Golden Langurs*. Hynrei, ia ka khmat jong ki, la sop da ka snieh ba ñong ka rong, ka bym don shñiuh. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba don jingat nador. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor. ia kibym lah ban ñohi, ba la sop da u shñiuh, bad ar tylli ki khmat, kawei ka khmut kaba don ar tylli ki thliw khmut bad kawei ka shyntur. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha. Ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki long kiba jrong. Hynrei, ki shympriahkjat kmie jong ki pat, ki long kiba lyngkot. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Tngaw Stem ruh, ki long kiba mlren bad ba juh bha, ban shong ban sah bad ban im halor jong ki dieng kiba heh kumba long ki Tngaw lieh bad ki Tngaw ñong. Ki long ruh ki jaid Tngaw kiba im, da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bun sker. U Bah M.M. Tharang u la ñathuh, ba "Wat la ki Tngaw Stem kim ju bam bha ia u kba, ia u riwtheadem, u krañ bad ia kiba bun jaid ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew, hynrei, ia u presbin, ia ki ri majar bad kiwei kiwei ki jaid ri, lada thung ia ki hajan ki khlaw ba ki shong ki sah ki Tngaw Stem, ki bam bha ia ki."

Ki Tngaw Stem ki long kiba im hapoh ka knah ne ka kynhun. Ha kawei kawei ka knah, lah ban don hapdeng 8 tylli bad 10 tylli ki Tngaw Stem. U nongñalam jong ka knah u dei u Tngaw shynrang uba heh duh bad ba khlañ tam. Hapoh kawei ka knah, lah ban don u nongñalam, ar lai tylli ki Tngaw kynther ba la san bad kiba sah pat ki dei ki Tngaw ba dang khie dangsan bad katto katne kiba dang rit. Hynrei, teng teng la ju ñohi ba ki Tngaw Stem ki don haduh 40 tylli ha kawei ka jaka, ha ka por ba ki leit wad jingbam. Ha kaba kum kane ka por ka mut ba ki la don bun knah ne bun kynhun, kumta lah ban khot ia ki, ki Tngaw bhur.

Ki Tngaw Stem barabor ki im halor ki dieng kiba heh kiba don hapoh ki lawbah lawsan. Hynrei, ki hiar sha khyndew tang ha ka por step bad por janniet, ban leit diñ um na ki wah bad ki wahduid ba don hapoh ka khlaw ka btap, ba ki shong ki sah

Ki Tngaw Stem ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Tngaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki, ka long 6 bnai tam, bad ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem duna. Ki ju kha khun ruh, shisien ar snem. Ha ka por ri khun, ka kmie ka ñalam ia la i khun kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i ha ka shadem jong ka. Ynda i khun i la kham san, ka sa bah ia i halor ka met jong ka. Ka ju pyllut ruh bun ka por ban ñit ksi ñit thyllah ia la i khun. Ki Tngaw Stem ba la san la heh ruh ki ju ñit ksi ñit thyllah mar kylliang. Ki long ruh ki jaid Tngaw kiba tieng bieit bha. Ki tang shu ñohi briew ki la phet krad.

Ia ki Tngaw Stem la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya hapoh *Balpakram National Park*, ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship bad ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad ha ki katto katne tylli ki khlaw ba don ha Khasi hills.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba "Ia ki jaid Ronggol ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Golden Langurs* la lap ba ki don ha Garo Hills, ha ki khlaw ba don sha ka thaiñ mihngi". La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei de pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## 22.4 Ki Huleng.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Hulu. Ki Biata ki khot ia ki, ki Saha. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Huro. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Hoolock Gibbons*.

Ki Huleng ki dei ki jaid Tngaw ba shisha, ia kiba la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya namar, ba ki long kum kiwei pat ki jaid Tngaw ba don sha kiwei pat ki ri kum ki *Orangutang*, ki *Gorrila* bad ki *C'himpanzee*, kiba long ki bym don tdong bad ki kti jong ki, ki kham jrong shibun ban ia ki kjat jong ki.

Ki Huleng haba ki la san pura bha, haba ki ieng ar kjat kumba ieng ki briew, ki jrong hapdeng 2 phut tam bad 3 phut duna. Ki Huleng kynthei ki kham rit khyndiat ia ki Huleng shynrang. Ki don kawci ka khlich kaba heh bad ba lam pyllun, ar tylli ki shkor ia ki bym lah ban iohi namar ba tap u shñiuh, ar tylli ki khmat kiba pyllun, kawci ka khmut bad kawci ka shyntur. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ha ka shadem jong ki don ar tylli ki jymbuiñ. Ki don ar tylli ki kti, kiba jrong kham bun ban ia ki kjat jong ki. Ki don ruh ar tylli ki kjat, tangba ki long ki bym da jrong. Hynrei, ki long ki mrad ki bym don tdong. Ia ka met jong ki Huleng shynrang baroh shirynieng la sop ia ka, da u shñiuh ba khah, ba rben bad ba iöng tlem ka rong. Dei tang ha ka shyllangmat jong ki, ba don ka jingpruid dak ba long kum u laiñ, kaba da ka rong lieh. Hynrei, ha ka por ba ki dang rit, ki shynrang bad ki kynthei ruh ki long kiba iöng tlem ka rong.

U Bah Bniat Lathong u la iathuh, ba “Ka long kaba phylla, ba ki Huleng kynthei haba ki dang rit ki long kiba iöng tlem ka rong. Hynrei, ynda ki la samla, bad ki la dap san snem ne san snem tam, u shñiuh jong ki u kylla rong noh na kaba iöng tlem, sha kaba byrtem bthuh ka rong. Hynrei, ka khmat jong ki te ka long hi kaba iöng. Haba ki la kylla rong sha ka rong byrtem bthuh, te ki la long kiba biang por ban iapoikha iapoiman. Ki iapoikha ruh kumba iapoikha ki Shrieh ki Tngaw. Ka por shongkha shongman jong ki ka dei ha ka por lyiur, bad ki ju kha khun ha ka por tlang naduh u bnai Nohprah haduh u Lber. Hadien ka jingpun khun kaba 7 bnai ne 7 bnai tam, ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha bad ki kha khun shisien shisnem. Ki ri khun ruh bun bnai. Ki Huleng ki long ki jaid mrad kiba ri tang kawci ka tnga ne u tnga. Kini ju iashongkha khleh bad kiwei pat ki Huleng. Ki ia ri ia sumar bad ki ia shong ia sah tang para shijur hi. Ka jingiaieid hapdeng ki shijur ruh ka long kaba palat liam bad kaba kham niar ban lap ba kan don ha kiwei pat ki mrad. Lada u shynrang un shah siat iap, ka Huleng kynthei kan iai im kthang lynter bad kan nym bam nym dih shuh, bad ki ummat kthang kin iai tuid lynter haduh ba kan da iap. Lada iap ka kynthei ruh, u Huleng shynrang un nym bam nym dih shuh, bad un iai iam pait dohnud bad ki ummat kthang kin iai tuid haduh ba un da iap”.

Ki Huleng ki im hapoh ki khlaw kiba heh. Ki sngewtynnad bad ki juh ruh ban shong ban sah, halor ki dieng kiba heh. Halor ki tnad dieng kiba heh ki ju iaid kumba iaid u briew. Hapoh ki khlaw ba don ki Huleng, dang step phyrngap lah ban iohsngew ia ka jingpah bad ka jingkyrkaw ba jam jong ki na ka jaka kaba kham jngai. Ki dih um ruh da kaba kiew halor ki tnad dieng kiba noh shaduh sla um, ki hiar sha khyndew bad iaid ar kjat ha madan, ia ki kti jong ki ki bat lang ia ki bad pynsnoh ia ki halor u ryndang jong ki. Kim ju iaid saw kjat halor madan ne khyndew namar, ki la smai naduh mynbarim, ba kin ym iaid saw kjat ha khyndew, bad lada ki iaid saw kjat kin neh hajuh bad kin iap. Dei namar kane ka daw, ba la khot ruh ia ki, Ki Huleng sang khyndew.

U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh, ba “Ka Huleng ha ka por mynbarim, hyndai hynthai, kulong kumah, ka dei ka briew kaba jaituh bha ban rep ban riang. Barabor ka pyllut ia la ka por, ha kaba shad kaba mastieh, ban kynthih ban rynsied bad ban ryngkoh halor ki kanshi jong ka iing. Kumta, hadien ba kam sngap shuh ia ka jingsneng jingkrav jong ki kmie ki kpa jong ka, kumta ki la beh noh ia ka na

īing. Ka ruh ka leit noh shapoh ka khlaw ka btap. bad hadien ka sa kylla Huleng. Ka da smai ruh ba kan iap, lada kan iaid saw kjet halor ka khyndew. Namarkata, haba ka iaid halor ka khyndew, ka iaid ar kjet bad ka thaiñ ia ki shympriah'ti bad pynsnoh ia ki halor u ryndang jong ka. Haba ka thiah halor dieng, shiliang ka kti ka bat ha ka tnad dieng bad ia kawei ka kti pat ka pyndonkam ia kaban kah ia ka shalangmat jong ka".

Ki Huleng ki im ha ka knah ne ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba kynthup ia u kpa, ka kmie bad ki khun rit ki bym pat da san pura ban khlad noh na ka knah. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba "Bun sien hi, ki Huleng ki ju iashong iasah tang shijur hapoh khlaw. Haba la kha ia i khun, i tang shu san i la dei ban mih noh bad iehnoh ia la ki kmie ki kpa, bad i hap ban lap ne wad ia la u ne ka nongsumar ban ia shong iasah ryngkat, baroh shirta. Ka don ka jingiakren iakhana hapdeng ki Garo, ba haba ki Huleng ki don palat ia ki ar tylli, u Khla u ju wan ha trai u dieng ba ki sah. Khnang ban pyllait im ia ka knah ne ka kynhun, iwei na ki Huleng ba don hangta, i hap ban hiar sha trai jong u dieng bad aiti ialade ha u Khla."

Ki Huleng ym tang ba ki long kiba tbit ban kiew dieng hynrei, ki long ruh kiba tbit ban rynsied, ban ryngkang, ban ryngkoh bad ban kynthih na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Haba ki dieng ki don marjan, kim ju hiar khyndew, ban leit kiew sha uwei pat u dieng; ki ju rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat. Haba don u dieng ba kham jngai khyndiat na u dieng ba ki don, hynrei uba ki lah hi ban ryngkoh ban poi sha u, khnang ba kata ka jingryngkoh jong ki kan long kaba khlaiñ, ki ju bat pynskhem ha kawei ka tnad dieng da kawei ka kti jong ki, bad ki sa pynpawang ia kata ka tnad dieng bunsien ba kan shad pyllun pyllun, haba la jur bha ka jingpawang, ki sa pyllait ia la ka kti bad ki long kumba her ha ka jingsted kaba jur, bad da ki kti ba jrong jong ki, ki bat ha ki tnad dieng jong uta uwei u dieng, da kaba lah ban leh kumne ki lait ban hiar sha khyndew, khnang ban kiew ia uta u dieng.

Ki Huleng ki long ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki sla dieng ba bun jaid bunsier bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom bad ia ki thapbawa. Ka por wad jingham jong ki, ka long ha ka por step bad ha ka por janmiet. Ha ka por shiteng sngi, namar ba jur ka jingshit kyrang ka sngi, ki shongthait halor ki tnad dieng ba kham sharum, ha kaba don ki sla ba rben, ban kah ne da sngi ia ki. Ki ju pah bad kyrkaw kham jur ha ka por dang step phymgap bad ha ka por janmiet ruh ki pah ki kyrkaw hi tang ba kam long kaba jur bad ba hylla bha kumba ka long ha ka por step. Mynmiet pat ki thiah halor ki tnad dieng, kiba don shalor jong ki dieng heh.

Kumba 30 snem mynshwa, ki Huleng ki don bun bha sha thaiñ Borghat, Huroi, Prang bad sha kiwei de ki jaka, hynrei mynta ki la jan duh jaid namar ba ki trai shnong ki siat iap ia ki bad bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki.

Ka kmie Huleng ka long kaba ierd khun bha. Naduh ba dang kha, kat shaba ka leit ka rah ia i ha la ka shadem. Ynda i khun i la kham san, ka ju bah ia i halor ka met jong ka. Ka pynlut ruh bun ka por, ban iit ksi iit thyllah ia la i khun. Ki Huleng ba la san ba la heh ruh ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kylliang para ma ki.

U Bah Lee Shylla uba na ka Shnong Kharkhana, hynrei mynta u la shong la sah la bun snem ha Shnong Jowai, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba "Ka long ka apot sepsngi, ia uno uno u briew ba ka Huleng kan ioh ban jung na khlieh jong u. Wei shisien ba la shah jung na khlieh ha ka Huleng, uta u briew un ym khie khlieh shuh la ha ka kamai kajih, ka trei ka ktah ne ha ka koit ka khiah ruh. Katba nang mih ki sngi uta u briew un nang tlot nang swai, un nang raikhoh bad un sti bad sah sa tang ka snieh bad ka shyieng, bad suki suki un iap noh". U Bah Lee Shylla u la iathuh ba u la iohi ha la

Shnong, ia u briew ba la shah jung na khlieh ha ka Huleng bad ka la jia ia uta u briew kumba la thoh haneng.

Ia ki Huleng, la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya ha kiba bun ki jaka, kum hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don sha thaiñ Khatkasla, sha ki khlaw ba don hapoh Saipung Sirdarship, hapoh ka khlaw Le Tymmen, ha ki khlaw ba don harud ka phud wah jong ka Wah Mynriang bad ki khlaw kiba don harud ka phud wah jong ka wah Myn-i kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut. La lap ruh ba ki don sha ki khlaw ba don sha thaiñ Garompani. Mynta ki don sa tang khyndiat sha thaiñ Borghat, Huroi, Hingaria bad Prang. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki khlaw ba don ha Jaintia Hills. La lap ruh ba ki Huleng ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## 22.5 Ki Huleng Lieh.

Haba ki la san pura bha, ka lynter jong ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi pruh tam. Ki iapher bad kiwei pat ki jaid Huleng namar, ia ka khlieh, ka kpoh bad ia kaba bun ka bynta ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong. Hapdeng ka met jong ki na ka bynta ba nalar, ha ka jaka ba don u budlum, ia kane ka bynta la sop da u shñiuh ba byrtem ka rong. Ki don ruh bad u tdong uba lyngkot bha, uba jrong tang shiteng inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kum ki Huleng. Ki don ar tylli ki shkor ia ki bym lah ban iohi ba sop u shñiuh, ar tylli ki khmat kiba pyllun, kawei ka khmut kaba don ar tylli ki thliw khmut, bad kawei ka shyntur. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki don ar tylli ki jymbuiñ ha ka shadem jong ki. Ki kti jong ki ki long kiba kham jrong shibun ban ia ki kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriah<sup>ti</sup> bad shympriahk<sup>at</sup> jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bah.

Ki Huleng lieh ruh ki long ki jaid mrad kiba sngewtynnad bad juh ban shong halor ki dieng kiba heh. Ki im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki sla dieng ba bun jaid bun sker bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom. Ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Shrieh, ki Tngaw. Ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Hynrei, ym ioh jingtip bha ha ka por aiñu ba ki iapoikha iapoiman, ka por punkhun jong ki ka long katno bnai bad ka por ri khun jong ki, ka long kaba lyngkot ne kaba bun bnai. Ia kine kiei kiei dang hap ban wad bniat. U Bah Bniat Lathong u la iathuh, ba "Ia ki Huleng lieh, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw, kiba don harud ka phud wah jong ka wah Kupli, kiba don sha thaiñ Khatkasla". Ki Huleng lieh imat ki don tang ha kane ka thaiñ namar, ym ioh jingtip ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya.

### Ka jingmyntoi bad ka jingpyndonkam ia ki Tngaw bad ki Huleng.

Namar baroh ki jaid Tngaw bad ki Huleng ki bam bha ia ki khñiang ki ksiah, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ba ki khñiang ki ksiah kin nym lah ban roi sha kaba palat than.

Ki briew jong ngi bad kiba bun ki jaid riwulum ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki Tngaw bad ki Huleng.

Ka snam Huleng kaba la khleh lang bad ki kynbat dawai, ka long ka dawai kaba iarap ha kiba bun ki bynta.



## Lynnong 23

### KI SHRIEH

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Shrieh hi. Sha thain̄ War Jaintia ki khot ĩa ki, ki Chriah. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Ejong. Kĩ Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Makre. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Monkeys*. Ha Meghalaya don bun jaid ki Shrieh kum ki Shrieh Heh, ki Shrieh long, ki Shrieh Bthuh, ki Shrieh Saw, ki Shrieh Lymboit tdong bad ki Shrieh Rit.

#### 23.1 Ki Shrieh Heh.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Shrieh Heh hi. Kĩ Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Ejong Ilian. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Bonda. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la ban khot ĩa ki, ki *Big Monkeys*.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ĩathuh ba kĩ Shrieh Heh haba kĩ la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapteng 3 phut duna bad 3 phut. U tdong jong kĩ u jrong shi phut duna. Ki Shrieh Heh kynthei kĩ kham rit khyndiat ban ĩa ki shynrang. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad ba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor briew, kiba rit bad bymdon shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad kiba stem phymat. Ka khmat, ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki, ki long kiba don shñiuh. Hapoh ka shyntur jong kĩ, don kĩ bmat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Kĩ kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong kĩ, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar jong kĩ shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalor, mih ki tysim kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep. ĩa ka met bad ĩa u tdong jong kĩ la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jlih bad ba long byrlieh stem ka rong.

Kĩ Shrieh Heh khamtam ki Shrieh marwei, kĩ long kiba dakaïd bad ba runar bha, teng teng ki ju dait ĩa ki khynnah bad kynthei. Namarkata, sha kĩ jaka ba don kinc kĩ jaid Shrieh, kĩ kynthei haba kĩ leit sha kĩ ĩew ki hat ne sha kĩ bri kĩ lyngkha, ki ju ĩa leit ryngkat bad ki rangbuh, khnang ba kĩ Shrieh Heh kin nym nud ban wan hajan jong ki. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba kĩ Shrieh Heh ki long kiba khlañ bha, bad kĩ lah wat ban rah ĩa u Ksew shalor dieng, bad sa bret ne pynhap ĩa u sha khyndew, khnang ba un dup ĩap.

Kĩ Shrieh Heh kumba long kiwei pat kĩ jaid Shrieh kĩ long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Kĩ lah ban ĩaid sted halor dieng, bad lah ruh ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rynsied na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Kĩ lah wat ban ryngkoh lane rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, lada kita ki dieng ki ĩadon marjan. Kĩ long ruh kiba sted ban ĩaid ha madan madiah bad ba tbit ban jngi.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la ĩathuh ba kĩ Shrieh Heh kĩ im hapoh ka knah ne ka kynthun, kaba don hapteng 15 bad 20 tylli. U Bah M.M. Thaiang pat, u la ĩathuh ba u Nongĭalam jong ki, u dei u Jha, uba long u Shrieh uba heh tam bad ba khlañ tam hapoh kata ka knah.

Kĩ Shrieh Heh ki im da kaba bam ĩa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ĩa ki syntiew jong ki katto katne kĩ jaid dieng, ĩa ki sla dieng, ki shylluid jong ki jingthung ba mih ha khyndew, kum ka lungsiej bad kiba kum kita. Kĩ bam ruh ĩa ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid bunsker. Kĩ bang bha ban bam ĩa ki kber bad ĩa ki thapbawa. Kĩ bam ĩa ki pylleng jong ki sim bad ĩa ki sim lada ki ĩoh ĩa ki. Kĩ long ruh kĩ jaid Shrieh kiba pynjot bad pynjulor bha ĩa ka rep ka riang bad ki jingthung-jingtep jong u khun bynriew. Kĩ leit wad jingbam ha ka por step. Ha ka por shiteng sngi ki ju shongthait ha kĩ jaka ba kah symgiew

ki dieng. Haden katto katne por, ki leit wad jingbam biang, haduh shwa ban kem iöngreiñ. Mar ia wan ka prem-miet ki leit phai noh, sha u dieng ba ki ju sah miet. Ki thiah ki dem ruh halor ki tnad dieng, kiba don kham sha klier jong ki diengbah, khnang ba ki mrad kiba mut ban bam ia ki, kum ki Khla kin nym ioh ne lait ban kiew sha ka jaka ba ki thiah ki dem.

U Bah Bniah Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Shrieh Heh, teng teng ki ju iapoikha hakhap jong ki tnad dieng ba heh jong ki diengbah, da kaba thiah kum ki briew. Hynrei, barabor ki iapoikha da dien kumba iapoikha ki Phyllad. Ki kha khun iwei shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shi snem tam. Nadeh ba la kha ia i khun, ka kmie ka ialam ia i kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i khun halor ka shadem jong ka. Haba i khun i la kham san bad i la khelaiñ bha, ka ju bah ia i halor ka met jong ka. Dei ruh ha ka por ba ki ri khun, ba ki khun ki sa tip ban jied ia kino ki jaid soh khlaw bad ki jaid khñiang kiba bit ban bam. Ki Shrieh Heh kynthei bad kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ruh, ki don ar tylli ki jymbuiñ halor ka shadem jong ki, kaba long kham pher na ka rukom ba don ki jymbuiñ jong kiba bun ki mrad ki mreng. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por ban iit ksi iit thyllah ia la i khun. Ki Shrieh Heh ba la san ruh, ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kyliang para maki.

Ki Shrieh Heh bad kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ruh, kim lah ban shah ia ka jingsma jong ka tungrymbai, ba kan bit ha ka met jong ki. Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang khynnah, u la iohi ba don ba ai tungrymbai ba la song hapoh ka sla, ia uwei u Shrieh ba la ri da u Bah Kei Laloo (Bam kwai ha dwar u Blei) ha ka por ba u dang shong hapoh ka dong Mission Compound, Jowai ha ka iing barim (tangba mynta la dep shna thymmai ia ka da ka iing dewbilat ha kaba ka don ka *Tax* ophis jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya ka la pynlong ophis mynta). Uta u Shrieh u la law ia kata ka jingsong, bad u la ktah ia kata ka tungrymbai. Hynrei, u tang shu iw ia la ka kti bad iohsngew ia ka jingsma jong kata ka tungrymbai, u la kyrshut ia la ka kti ha uwei u maw, ba don ha ka jaka ba la teh ia u. Nangta u iw biang ia la ka kti, bad shem ba kata ka jingsma tungrymbai ka dang sah. Kumta u iai trud ia la ka kti bad iai kyrshut ia ka haduh ban da mih snam. Wat la katta ruh kata ka jingsma kam jah satia. Kumta u iai trud bad iai kyrshut ia la ka kti ha uta u maw, bad ka snam ka nang mih na ka kti jong u. Haden katto katne sngi, uta u Shrieh u iap noh. Dei na kane ka jingiohi ba une u Nongthoh u la pyrkhat ba lehse ba baroh ki jaid Shrieh, lada kan bit ka tungrymbai ha ka met jong ki bad iohsngew ia ka jingsma jong ka, kin leh kumjuh kumba la leh uto u Shrieh ba la ri u Bah Kei Laloo. Hynrei, ia kane ka bynta dang dei ban leh *experiment* shuh, khnang ban pynthikna ba ka long kumba la thoh haneng. Namar, ka lah ban long ba uta u Shrieh um lah ban shah ia ka jingsma jong ka tungrymbai ban neh ha ka met jong u, katba kiwei pat lehse ki lah ban shah.

U Bah Biren Pde u la iathuh ba kumba 40 ne 45 snem mynshwa, ki Shrieh kiba heh, hynrei um lah ban ong la ki dei ki Shrieh Heh ne em, ki dang bun bad jyllei bha sha thain Mupiah, kaba don hajan Shnong Jowai. Ha kawei ka sngi u la iohi ba ki Shrieh kiba don ha ka knah ne ka kynthun kaba hapdeng 15 bad 20 tylli, kaba don hapoh ka jingialam jong uwei u Shrieh uba heh tam bad ba khelaiñ tam jong kata ka knah. Ynda u nongialam jong ki u la ryngkoh shapoh ka wah Myntdu, bad sdang ban jngi sha shilliang jong ka, baroh kita ki Shrieh ba don hapoh kata ka knah, ki la iaryngkoh shapoh ka wah Myntdu uwei hadien uwei pat, bad jngi sha shilliang jong kata ka wah. Hynrei, mynta la bun snem, ym don Shrieh shuh ha kane ka thain namarba ki briew ki siat pyniäp ia ki, khnang ban ioh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki.

Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang khynnah, u la iohi bad kymaw ba don ki Shrieh ba ju poi ha ka khlaw, ba don hajan ka *Jowai Civil Hospital*. Hynrei, kumba long mynta la bun phew snem, ym ju iohi Shrieh shuh ban poi sha kane ka khlaw. Namar ki Shrieh ba don ha kane ka khlaw ki la duh jaid, na ka daw ba ki briew ki la siat pyniäp ia ki, bad bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki.

U Bah Bait Pakyntein u la iathuh ba kumba 30 ne 35 snem mynshwa, sha thain Mynkrem, kaba don hajan ka Shnong Jowai, hangne ju don ki Shrieh. Ki pynjot bad pynjutor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong ki briew. Kumta ki briew ki siat pyniap ia ki, khnang ban iada ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong ki, bad ban ioh ruh ban bam ia ka doh ba bang jong ki. Mynta la bun snem, ym ju lap Shrieh shuh sha kane ka thain.

Kumba 40 ne 50 snem mynshwa, lah ban ong ba ki Shrieh bad kiwei pat ki jaid mrad, ki dang jyllei bha ha kylleng ki jaka ba don hapoh u pud u sam jong ka jylla Meghalaya. Hynrei, kumba long mynta kiba bun ki mrad, ki don ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid. Namarkata, baroh ki nongshongshnong jong ka jylla Meghalaya, ki dei ban iatrei lang bad ka Sorkar, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia baroh ki jaid mrad khlaw, kiba dang don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya, na ka bynta ka jingmyntoi jong ngi hi bad jong ki longdien ruh kumjuh.

Ha Meghalaya, la lap ba ki Shrieh Heh ki don ha ki katto katne ki khlaw, ba don ha Garo Hills. Ki don ruh ha ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don ha Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki dang kham bun hapoh ki khlaw, ba don harud ki phud wah jong ka wah Kupli, hapoh ki khlaw ba don hapoh Saipung Sirdarship bad ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut.

**Balei ki Shrieh ki pynjot bad pynjutor, ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynrrew?**

Katkum ka jingiatuhkhana pateng jong ki riewtymmen, ki Shrieh ki pynjot bad pynjutor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynrrew namar, shisien ka ngi ha ka por mynbarim, u khun bynrrew u la shet kylla ia u Jha ne u nongialam jong ki Shrieh Heh, katkum kane ka jingiatuh khana harum:

Ha ka por hyndai hynthai, kulong kumah, mynba u briew bad ki laiphew mrad laiphew mreng ki dang iakren iakhana. Ha kata ka por ka la jia ka nemsniew kaba jur bha ha kawei ka Shnong kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Nongkhlieh jong ka Jaintia Hills District. Kumta, namar ba jur than ka jingkyrduh jingbam, ki briew jong kata ka Shnong kim banse shuh ban dung khaw wat ia u kba symbai (ia uba ki la buh tyngkai kyrpang khnang ba kin dup ioh ban bet, ha u snem uba bud) khnang ban lait na ka jingiap thngan. Kumta ha u snem uba bud, ha shwa ka por ban rep kba, ki briew kata ka Shnong ki la leit ban pan kba symbai kylliang, na ki Shnong kiba marjan. Hynrei kita ki trai Shnong ba marjan ruh ki ong, "Ba ngim nud ban ai ia phi namar ba ngi sheptieng, ba ka nemsniew ruh ka lah ban jia ha ka shnong jong ngi".

Hadien kata, u rangbah Shnong jong kata ka Shnong, ha kaba la jia kata ka nemsniew, u la khot ia ka jingialang ba kyrkieh jong ka Dorbar Shnong. Ha ka miet ba long kata ka Dorbar Shnong, ynda baroh ki rangbah ki la iapoi lut, uta u Rangbah Shnong u la ieng bad ong, "Kumba phi la iatip ia ka jingeh ba don hakmat jong ngi. Kumta nga khot ia phi ban iakren, ban ia tuklar bad ban ia ai jingmut, kumno ngin ialeh ne ba ngin hap ban iaphet Shnong noh shawei".

Hangta la ieng uwei u rangbah bad u la iathuh, "Nga la iohi ba ha lyndet kawei ka khlaw, kaba jngai kumba 15 mail na kane ka shnong jong ngi, ba don ka lyngkha kaba heh bad ba iar bha, ha kaba u kba u la seisoh bha bad u la ih stem bha, ha ka por ba nga la iohi ia kata ka lyngkha. Kumta nga ai jingmut, ba ngi dei ban leit pan kba symbai kylliang noh na ki trai jong kata ka lyngkha". U la iathuh ruh ba don kawei ka jingeh ban leit sha lyndet jong kata ka khlaw namar, hapoh kata ka khlaw ki don bun bah ki Shrieh Heh kiba shong ba sah hangta.

Hadien ba ki la iakren bad ia tuklar bha halor kata ka jingai jingmut jong uta u rangbah, ka Dorbar ka la rai da kawei ka jingmut, ba lada jia katba jia, lada long katba long, kin ia mih 25 ngut ki rangbah ban leit pan kba symbai kyliang, na ki trai kata ka lyngkha kaba don ha lyndet kata ka khlaw. Ha kata hi ka Dorbar ki la jied ia ki 25 ngut ki rangbah, kiban leit pan kba symbai kyliang. Kumta, ha ka sngi ba ki la ia buh, 25 ngut ki rangbah ki la ia leit sha kata ka jaka ba don kata ka lyngkha. Hynrei, ynda ki la poi hapdeng jong kata ka khlaw la mih ka kynhun ba bun jong ki Shrieh Heh, bad u Jha ne u nongialam jong kita ki Shreih Heh u la kylli, "Phin ia leit shaei kumne?"

Uta u Rangbah Shnong u la iathuh, "Ba ngin ialeit sha ki trai jong katei ka lyngkha, kaba don ha lyndet jong kane ka khlaw. Namarba jur ka nemsnew ha ka Shnong jong ngi, kumta da ka jingbym banse ngi la hap ban dung khaw wat ia u kba symbai ruh, khnang ban lait na ka jingiap thngan. Kumta ngin ia leit ban pan kba symbai kyliang na ki trai jong katei ka lyngkha keiñ".

"Katei ka lyngkha kaba don ha lyndet jong kane ka lawbah ka dei ka jong ngi, ia kaba ngi la sumar bha", la phai ktien pat uta u nongialam jong ki Shrieh Heh.

"Haba kumta nga kyrpad ia phi, ba phin sngewbha ban ai kba symbai kyliang ia ngi. Nga kular ruh ba ynda ngi la dep ot kba ngin sa wan pynphai bad ai tam ruh, ia kaba ngi dei ban ai sha phi", la kyrpad u Rangbah Shnong.

"Em, ngam lah ban ai marwei namar, ka lyngkha ka dei ka jong ngi ki Shrieh Heh baroh lang. Ap ngan da iakren shwa bad ki para Shrieh jong nga, lada ki shah ban ai ne lada kim shah ban ai ruh, ngan sa iathuh ha phi", la phai ktien pat u Jha ki Shrieh Heh.

"To" la jubab u Rangbah Shnong.

Mar kumta uta u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh, u la leit kham pajih na kaba don ki brieve, bad u la pah kiak-kiak-kiak, bad kita ki Shrieh baroh kiba don hangta ki la ialeit shaba don u Nongialam jong ki, bad ki la iashong pyllun ia u, kumba ker ia u hapdeng. Haba ki la iapoi lut, u la iathuh ba kita ki brieve ki kwah kba symbai kyliang na ki. Hadien ba ki la iakren bad ia tuklar bha para Shrieh Heh, ki la rai da kawei ka jingmut bad ai bor ha u Jha ne u Nongialam jong ki, ban rai la yn ai kba symbai kyliang ne em ia kita ki brieve.

Mar ia kut ka Dorbar jong kita ki Shrieh Heh, u Jha jong ki u la leit sak shaba don kita ki brieve ba wan pan kba symbai kyliang na ki bad u la ong, "Ba ia u kba symbai kyliang lah ban ai ia phi, tang halor kawei ka kyndon, ba lada phi ia monjur ia kata ka kyndon, shisien ba ngi la ai phim hap shuh ban wan siew pat, ia u kba symbai ba ngi la ai ha phi" la batai shai u Jha ki Shrieh Heh.

"Kaei kata ka kyndon?", la kylli pynsted uta u Rangbah Shnong.

"Kata ka kyndon ka long ba lada phin shah bad ai ia ka khun samla jong phi, ba kan iashongkurim bad nga keiñ", la phai ktien pat u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh.

"Ew! Kat kata ka kyndon phi buh te ngam lah ban rai hangne, muk-mak-huk-dak. Sngewbha ban ai por ia nga haduh la shem taiew ha kaba kum kane ka sngi. Lada ngi ia wan biang shane, ka mut ba nga la monjur ia ka kyndon ne pdiang ia ka jingtyrwa jong phi. Hynrei, lada ngim wan mih shuh, te phi dei ban sngewthuh ba nga la kyntait ia ka jingtyrwa jong phi", la phai ktien pat uta u Rangbah Shnong.

Hadien kata ki la ia ai khublei mar kylliang, bad ki la ialet noh jar la ka lynti

Ha ka janmiet jong ka sngi kaba bud, la pynlong biang ia ka jingialang jong ka Dorbar Shnong Haba ki rangbah ki la iapoi lut, u Rangbah Shnong u la iathuh ia ka kyndon ba u nongialam ki Shrieh Heh u la buh, khnang ban ai kba symbai ia ki Hadien ba ki la iatai nia bad iatuklar bha halor ka kyndon ba u Jha ki Shrieh Heh u la dawa, u paid nongshong Shnong uba bun uba lang, kim kheiñ shuh ia ka sang ka ma, ia ka eh ka shitom jong u Rangbah Shnong jong ki Ki la pynpaw ba ki kwah ba u rangbah Shnong jong ki, u dei ban pdiang ia ka kyndon ne jingtyrwa jong u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh, khnang ba ka Shnong ka thaw bad ki paid nongshong Shnong baroh kin suk bad kin lait ban phet Shnong shawei pat Hynrei, u Rangbah Shnong pat kum u kpa, um ngew lah satia ban aiti ia la ka khun samla, ba kan iashong kurim bad u Jha ki Shrieh Heh, bad um kwah hi ruh ba un hap ban kam pyrsa kurim ia u Shrieh u Tngaw Kumta kim iapoi haei haei ruh, bad kim lah ban ia rai ban leh kumno Ynda la miet bha, uwei na ki nongaibuit jong u Rangbah Shnong, u la pasiaw ha ki shkor u Rangbah Shnong, "Kular beit ban ai ia ka khun jong phi, ban ia shongkurim bad u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh, khnang ban pynhun ia une u paidbah Ngan bah khlieh manga kumno ban pyllait ia ka khun jong phi, na ka ksangti jong u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh"

Hadien ba u la iohngew ia ki kyntien bad ia ka jingbahkhlieh jong uta u nongaibuit jong u, u Rangbah Shnong u la ieng joit bad pyrta da ka sur kaba jam, khnang ba baroh kiba don hapoh kata ka Dorbar Shnong kin iohngew ia kaei kaba un kren, bad u la ong, "Hato ju don hi mo u rangbah briew, uba don ka khun samla bad uba kloï ban aiti mon ngewbha ia la ka khun, ba kan ia shongkurim bad u Syiem ne u Jha lane bad uno uno u nongialam jong kino kino ki jaid mrad saw kjat? Lada don kum uta napdeng jong phi ngewbha ban ieng bad iathuh hapoh kane ka Dorbar, bad nga ruh da ka jingkmén kaba khraw, nga kloï ban aiti ia ka kam Rangbah Shnong ha u, mynta mynta hi"

Hangta la don ka jingsngap jar jlang ha kata ka Dorbar Ym don uwei ruh u ban ieng bad ban bahkhlieh, ba un aiti ia la ka khun ban ia shongkurim bad u Jha ki Shrieh Heh Nangta uta u Rangbah Shnong u la ieng biang bad u la ong, "Khnang ban im ka Shnong ka thaw, ban pynioh symbai kba bad ban lait na ka phet Shnong shawei pat, te ngam banse ban leh ia kane, wat la ka long kaba ngewsang ruh, ban ai ia la ka khun baierd ba kan iashongkurim bad u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh"

Ki paidbah ba don hangta baroh, ki la ia isa shaw da ka jingkmén namarba u Rangbah Shnong jong ki, u la kular ban ai ia la ka khun ban iashongkurim bad u nongialam jong ki Shrieh Heh, bad kumta kin sa ioh kba symbai ban bet ha uta u snem bad kin ym hap shuh ban phet Shnong

Ha ka miet hashwa ban dap shatarew, kumba ki la iakren bad u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh, uta u nongaibuit jong u Rangbah Shnong, u la leit sha iing jong u Rangbah Shnong bad u la ong ha u, "Peit, lasha dangstep ngab-ngab nga la poi sha iing jong phi Nga tang shu tied jingkháng, phi ruh mih noh bad kynmaw ban rah bad kawei ka byrni"

"To", la phai ktien u Rangbah Shnong bad ki la ia khlad noh

Kumba ki la iakut, uta u nongaibuit u la poi dang ngab-ngab bad u la tied ia ka jingkháng jong ka iing jong u Rangbah Shnong Mar ia tied ia ka jingkháng, u Rangbah Shnong ruh kloï lan u la plie ia ka jingkháng bad mih na la iing, bad rah ruh ia ka byrni ha la ka kti Kumta baroh arngut ki la leit kem ia kawei ka Ksew kynthei kaba heh, bad ki la thep ia ka hapoh kata ka byrni Nangta ki la buh ia kata ka byrni hapoh kawei ka khoh heh

Ha ka por step baroh kito kiba la jied ban ãleit sha ka khlaw ba don ki Shrieh Heh, ki la ãpoi ha ãing u Rangbah shnong. Ha shwa ban ãleit noh ki la kylli, “Haei ka khun jong phi?”

“Kato hapoh u khoh heh ba la set hapoh ka byrni, namar, nga sheptieng ba ãoh kan phet noh, te kumta ngam banse ban set noh ãa ka hapoh ka byrni”. La phai ktien uta u Rangbah shnong.

Kumta ki la ãa leit noh bad uta u nongaibuit u la kit ma u ãa u khoh heh ha uba la buh ãa ka Ksew ba don hapoh ka byrni. Ynda ki la ãa ãaid kham slem, ki la poi hapdeng kata ka khlaw ha kaba ki shong ki sah ki Shrieh Heh. U nongãalam jong ki Shrieh Heh bad ka kynhun jong u, ki tang shu ãohi ãa ki, ki la leit shaba don kita ki briew. Ha shwa ba ki Shrieh Heh kin poi, uta u nongaibuit u la sei ãa ka byrni ba don ka Ksew hapoh na ka khoh ba u kit, bad pynshaniah ãa kata ka byrni ha trai jong uwei u diengbah, ba don hajan kata ka jaka ba ki shong. Ynda la poi ki Shrieh Heh, u Jha jong ki u la kylli, “Ko Rangbah Shnong hangno kata ka khun jong phi?”

“Kato hapoh ka byrni, la hap ban set ãa ka kumta namar ba nga sheptieng ba ãoh kan phet noh, naba kam mon satia ban wan shane”, la batai u Rangbah shnong.

U tang shu dep kren u Rangbah shnong kata ka Ksew ba don hapoh ka byrni ka la ud. Kumta u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh u la ong, “Nga ãohsngew kumba ud u Ksew, shuh ngan law ãa ka byrni ba ngan peit dei ka briew ne ksew”, la ong u Jha ki Shrieh Heh.

“Wat pat law ãoh ba kam treh ban sah hangne. Phi la ãohsngew ba ka ud namar, baroh shi miet bad lynter lynti ruh, ka ãam sngewsih namar kam kwah ban mih na la ãing ban wan shong shnong noh shane. Namarkata, sa law ãa ka ynda ngi la jngai bad kumta kan nym tip lynti shuh ban leit bud ãa ngi”, la nang batai pynshai shuh shuh u Rangbah shnong.

Hangta uta u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh u la sngewkmen, u la phuhmut phuhmat bha bad u la ong, “Khie leit kit katba phi lah ãa u kba, napoh katei ka thiar jong ngi”.

Kita ki briew ruh ki la ãa leit ban pyndap ãa ki khoh jong ki da u kba. Ha shwa ba kin ãakhlad noh uta u Rangbah shnong u la ong, “Khublei shibun ãa ka jingleh sbun jong phi ãa ngi, bad sa sumar bha ãa ka khun jong nga mo. Phi ruh ynda ngi la mih nangne sa leit kiew sha kliar jong utei u dieng bah bad ynda phim lah shuh ban ãohi ãa ngi te sa hiar nalar jong utei u dieng bad phi la lah ban pyllait ãa ka napoh ka byrni. Namar ha kata ka por ngi la jngai bha, bad kumta kan nym lah shuh ban wan bud ãa ngi”.

“Ngan leh thik kumba phi la batai”, la phai ktien u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh.

Mar ãa leit kita ki briew, uta u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh ruh, u la kiew pynsted dar dar shaduh kliar jong uta u diengbah. Na kliar jong uta u diengbah u ãai peit katba kita ki briew ki dang leit phai sha la shnong. Ynda ki la lyngngop bad um lah shuh ban ãohi ãa ki, te u la pynkloi ban hiar sted nalar uta u diengbah, bad da ka jingkmnen kaba khraw u la leit beit sak sha ka jaka ba la buh ãa kata ka byrni ha trai jong uwei u diengbah. Mar ãa plie ãa ka byrni, kata ka Ksew ha ka jingpisa, jinglynga bad ka jingshitom ba ka la shah set slem hapoh ka byrni, ka la kynthih bluit sha madan bad ka la wiar artad wuk-wuk-wuk. Uta u Jha jong ki Shrieh Heh pat, ha ka jingkyndit kaba khraw u la kiew soit shalor uta u dieng, uba don hajan hangta.

U tang shu jah ka jingkyndit bad haba u la iohi ba dei da ka ksew ha ka jaka ba kan dei ka thei samla, ha ka jingdom bad jingshla kaba jur, u la kyrkaw jam bad pah Kiak-Kiak-Kiak bad kita ki Shrieh Heh ba don hapoh kata ka khlaw ki la ia leit sha ka jaka ba don u nongialam jong ki.

Ynda ki la ia poi lut, uta u Jha u la ong, "Peit kat kane ka jingshah shet kylla, ka jingshetshukor bad ka jingthok, ka bym don shuh ka rain ka rem ba u khun bynriew u la leh ia ngi. Haba la iakut da kumwei u la leh pat da kumwei. Te naduh mynta ka sngi, ngi ki Shrieh baroh te ngin iasmai bad iathuh ruh ha ki pateng jong ngi ia kaba la jia. Ngin ia smai ba kat shaba don ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew, ngi tang shu lap ia ka, ngin pynhiar kput namar ka jingshet kylla, ka jingshukor bad ka jingthok jong u da kaba ngi bad ki pateng jong ngi ngin pynjulor bad pynjot ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew. Ia kane ka jingsmai, ki pateng jong ngi ruh kin bat ia ka".

Kita ki Shrieh Heh baroh kiba la ia don lang hangta ki la ong, "Ngi iasmai lang ban leh kumba u nongialam jong ngi u la smai ban leh".

Dei ruh naduh kata ka por ba ki Shrieh Heh bad kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ba iohsngew ia kata ka jingsmai ki sa pynjulor bad pynjot ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew.

### 23.2 Ki Shrieh Iong.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Shrieh Waiong. Ha ka ktien Biate ki khot ia ki Jongvom. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Bonda Gisim. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, lah ban khot ia ki, ki *Black Monkeys*

U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh ba ki Shrieh Iong, ki dei ki jaid Shrieh kiba heh tam napdeng ki jaid Shrieh baroh ba don hapoh Meghalaya. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka met bad ka khlieh jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 3 phut shiteng bad 4 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad ba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, kiba ieng kum ki shkor briew, bad bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad ba phyrnai. Ki ñiuhmat ki long kiba jrong kum ki tmaiñ. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah bad kiba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba na halor, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Ka met jong ki ruh ka long kaba heh bad kaba khlaiñ. Ia ka met bad u tdong jong ki Shrieh Iong la sop ia ki, da u shñiuh uba khah, ba rben, ba jlih bad ba iong tlem ka rong.

Ki Shrieh Iong ki long ki jaid Shrieh kiba im shapoh pangam, kata hapoh ki lawbah ki lawsan. Kumta kham ñiar ba ki briew kin iohi ia ki, laitnoh ki nongsiat mrad kiba leit siat mrad shapoh ki lawbah lawsan.

U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh ba ki Shrieh Iong ki long kiba im ha ka knah ne ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba don hapdeng 5 bad 10 tylli. U nongialam jong ki u dei u Jha, uba long u Shrieh Iong uba heh tam bad uba khlaiñ tam hapdeng ki Shrieh Iong kiba don hapoh kata ka knah. Ki long ki jaid Shrieh kiba sngewtynnad ban don halor ki dieng. Ki im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, kum ki soh saliang, ki soh jri, ki soh laphiah (kine ki jaid soh ki heh kat u kwai) bad kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ia ka nub, ka sakhleiñ, ka kliar jong ki siej, katto katne ki jaid syntiew, ki sla bad ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Ha ka por ba mih ki lungsiej lah ban lap ia ki ha trai jong ki siej

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namar, ki bang bha ban bam ia ki lung siej. Ki bang bha ban bam ruh ia ki kait khlaw bad ia ki Kber. Ki Shrieh long ki long ruh ki bym juh pynjulor ia ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew. Ka lah ruh ban long kumta namar ki im hapoh ki lawbah ki lawsan, kumta kim ju poi sha ki jaka rep bad ki jaka thung jaka tep jong ki briew. Ki leit wad jingbam naduh ka por step. Ha ka por shiteng sngi ki ju shongthait halor ki mad dieng ba kah syrngiew. Haden katto katne por ki sa leit wad jingbam biang haduh shwa ban kem iongreif. Nangta ki leit phai sha ki dieng ba ki ju sah bad thiah ha kliar jong ki mad dieng, sha ki jaka ba ki Khla kim lait ban kiew, khnang ba kin nym ioh ban bam ia ki.

Ki Shrieh long kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki lah ban iaid sted halor ki dieng bad ki lah ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rypsied na kawei ka mad dieng sha kawei pat. Ki long ruh kiba khlaif ban rypsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat u dieng, kumta bunsien kim ju hap ban hiar khyndew haba ki kwah ban leit na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat u dieng. Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi. Haba ki hiar nalar ki dieng, ka rukom hiar jong ki Shrieh long ka iapher na kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh, ki hiar da dien syriem kumba hiar ki briew nalar ki dieng. Katba kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ki lah ban hiar da kaba ka khlieh jong ki kan phai mar pyrshah ia ka khyndew.

Ki Shrieh long ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapoh hynriew bnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Naduh ba kha ia i khun ka kmie ka ialam ia i khun kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i ha ka shadem jong ka. Ynda i khun i la kham san bad i la khlaif bha ka ju bah ia i halor ka met jong ka. Ki jymbuii jong ki Shrieh long kynthei kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh ki don ar tylli halor ka shadem jong ki, kaba long kham pher na kiwei pat ki jaid mrad. Ka por ri khun jong ki ruh ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shisnem tam. Dei ruh ha ka por ba ki ri khun ba ki khun ki sa tip ban jied ia ki jaid jingbam kiba bit ban bam. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por ban iit ksi iit thyllah ia la i khun. Ki Shrieh long ba la san ruh ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kyliang para ma ki. Ki long ruh ki jaid Shrieh ki bym roi kumba roi kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh.

Ia ki Shrieh long la lap ba ki don hapoh ki lawbah ki lawsan ba don ha Garo Hills. U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh ba ha ka snem 1972, ha ka por ba u leit donkam sha Nongkhlaw u la iohi ba ki Shrieh long ki don ha kawei ka khlaw. Don ruh kiba iathuh ba ki Shrieh long ki don ruh sha ki khlaw ba don sha thaii Jirang. Ha Jaintia Hills la lap ba ki Shrieh long ki don hapoh ki lawbah ki lawsan kiba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut.

### 23.3 Ki Shrieh Saw.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Shrieh Wasoo. Hapoh Saipung Sirdarship kine ki jaid Shrieh kim don, kumta kim don kyrteng ha ka ktien Biate. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Sapeh Makre. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Rhesus Macaques*.

Ki Shrieh Saw shynrang haba ki la san bha ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi. Ki Shrieh Saw kynthei, ki long kiba kham rit khyndiat ban ia ki shynrang. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad kaba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit kiba ieng kum ki shkor briew bad bym don shniuh. Ki khmat jong ki long kiba shalyntuii bad ba phymai bha. Ka khmat, ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh ki long kiba don shniuh. Ka rong ka khmat jong ki, khamtam ki ngab, ki long kaba saw syriem kumba tah *lipstick*, dei namar kane ka daw ba ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Sapeh Makre. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaif bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah bad bakhlaif bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat



jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaif, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ia ka met bad u tdong jong k1 Shrieh saw la sop ia k1 da u shñiuh ba khah, ba rben, ba jrong bad ba saw bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba shadien jong k1 kaba don hajan u tdong bad ka lbong, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba saw ka rong kum ka snieh u sohñiamtra.

K1 Shrieh Saw k1 long kiba heh met bad ba sngaid K1 long k1 jaid Shrieh kiba im hapoh ka knah ne ka kynhun kaba rit, bad ka nongialam jong k1 ka dei ka Shrieh Saw Kynthei kaba heh tam hapoh kata ka knah. Hynrei, ha ka por ba k1 leit wad jingbam lah ban iohi ba k1 iaid haduh 35 ne 40 tylli. Kane ka kynhun kaba heh ka kynthup ia bun tylli k1 knah kiba rit.

K1 Shrieh Saw ba don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya, k1 long kiba im hapoh K1 khlaw ki btap. Katba sha ri Dkhar pat, lah ban iohi ia k1 hapoh k1 shnong k1 thaw, bad namar ba k1 briew kim ju pynshitom ne pyniap ia k1, kumta lah ban lap ia k1 wat ha k1 jaka ba bun briew, kum ha k1 *Railway Station* bad ha kiwei kiwei k1 jaka ba bun briew K1 briew ruh k1 ju a1 jingbam ia k1 bad kumta kim tieng shuh ia k1 briew.

K1 Shrieh Saw kumba long kiwei pat k1 jaid Shrieh, k1 long kiba tbit ban kiew dieng. K1 lah ban iaid sted halor dieng, k1 lah ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rynsied na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. K1 lah ruh ban rynsied ne ryngkoh na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, lada kita ki dieng k1 ia don marjan. K1 long ruh k1 jaid Shrieh kiba tbit ban jngi

K1 Shrieh Saw k1 im da kaba bam ia k1 soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ka kait, k1 khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom bad ia k1 mrad rit. K1 long ruh k1 jaid Shrieh kiba pynjot bad pynjulor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew

Kumba long kiwei pat k1 jaid Shrieh kynthei bad k1 Tngaw kynthei, k1 Shrieh saw kynthei ruh k1 don ar tylli k1 jymbuiñ ha ka shadem jong k1, kaba long kham pher na kiba bun kiwei pat k1 jaid mrad.

K1 Shrieh Saw k1 iapoikha kumba iapoikha k1 Tngaw Ka jingiaipoikha jong k1 ruh, ka long kaba la jan baroh shisnem lynter, hynrei ka samoi shongkha shongman ha kaba ka jingiaipoikha jong k1 ka long khah khah, ka dei ha ka por tlang naduh u Risaw haduh u Nohprah. Ka por punkhun jong k1 ka long hapdeng san bnai tam bad hynriew bnai. K1 kha khun ruh iwei shisien kha. Ka por kha khun jong k1 ka long naduh u Lber haduh u Jylriew Hynrei, don hi kiba kha khun ha kiwei pat ki bnai, namar ba k1 iapoikha lajan baroh shisnem

K1 Shrieh Saw kynthei k1 long kiba iaid khun bad kiba sumar bha ia la i khun. Naduh ba la kha ia i khun, ka kmie ka ialam ia i kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i khun ha ka shadem jong ka. Ynda i khun i la kham san bad i la khlaif bha, ka kmie ka juh bah ia i halor ka met jong ka. Ka por ri khun jong ki ruh, ka long hapdeng shi snem bad shisnem tam Dei ruh ha ka por ba k1 ri khun, ba ki khun ki sa tip ban jied kino k1 jaid sohkhlaw bad k1 khñiang ki ksiah kiba bit ban bam. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por, ha kaba iit ksi iit thyllah ia la i khun. K1 Shrieh Saw ba la san ruh, ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kyliang para ma ki, katba k1 Shrieh Saw ba dang khie dang san pat, kumba long kiwei pat k1 jaid Shrieh, ki long kiba lapmiet ban ialehkai para ma ki hi, la halor ki dieng ne ha madan madiah ruh. K1 Shrieh Saw ki thiah ki dem halor ki tnad dieng, kiba don kham sha kliar jong ki diengbah, khnang ba k1 mrad kum ki Khla kiba mut ban bam ia ki, kin nym lait ban kiew sha ka jaka ba ki thiah ki dem.

Ha Meghalaya ia ki Shrieh Saw la lap ba ki don hapoh ka Balpakram National Park bad ha ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don hapoh Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad ha ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don ha Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw ba don ha ki phud wah jong ka wah Kupli kiba don hajan khappud bad ka Karbi Anglong District jong ka jylla Assam, bad ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut (Elaka Labang Nongphyllut ka long ka jaka ba don ha ka jingiaakhajia pud hapdeng ka jylla Assam bad Meghalaya). La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 23.4 Ki Shrieh Bthuh.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Shrieh Wabthuh. Kine ki jaid Shrieh kim don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, kumta kim don kyrteng ha ka ktien Biate. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Makre Gitchakmrang ne ki Makre A Kaki. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Assamese Macques*.

Ki Shrieh Bthuh haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 phut tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad ba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, kiba ieng kum ki shkor bried bad bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long shalyntuñ bad ba phymai bha. Ka khmat, ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh ki long ki bym don shñiuh. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlain bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkijat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkijat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlain, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ki Shrieh Bthuh ki long kiba kham heh bad ba kham khlain ban ia ki Shrieh Saw. Ia ka met bad u tdong jong ki la sop ia ki da u shñiuh uba khah, ba rben, ba jrong bad ba bthuh ka rong. Katto katne u shñiuh uba saw ka rong u mih ha ka bynta ba shakhmat jong ka met jong ki. Hynrei, kim don shñiuh ba saw ha ki lbong bad ka bynta ba shadien ka met jong ki, kaba don hajan u tdong, kumba don ha ki Shrieh Saw.

Ki Shrieh Bthuh ki im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom, bad ki long ruh kiba pynjot bad pynjolor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u Khun bynriew, syriem kumba long ki Shrieh Saw.

Ki Shrieh Bthuh ki long kiba im hapoh ka knah ne ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba hapdeng 5 bad 10 tylli. U Jha ne u nongialam jong ki, u dei u Shrieh Bthuh shynrang uba heh tam bad uba khlain tam hapoh kata ka knah. Ki long ruh ki jaid Shrieh kiba sngewtynnad bad juh ban im hapoh ki khlaw kiba rben.

Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh, ki Shrieh Bthuh ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki lah ban iaid sted dar dar halor dieng, bad ki lah ruh ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rypsied na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Ki lah wat ban rypsied ne ryngkoh na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, lada ki dieng ki iadon marjan. Ki long kiba sted ban iaid bad ban mareh ha madan madiyah ruh. Ha kajuha ka por ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban jngi.

Ki Shrieh Bthuh ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha ki Tngaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapdeng 4 bnai bad 6 bnai. Ki kha khun ruh iwei shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shisnem bad shisnem tam. Kumba long ki Shrieh Saw kynthei ki Shrieh Bthuh kynthei ruh ki long kiba ieid bad ba sumar khun bha. Nadeh ba la kha ïa i khun, ka kmie ka ïalam ïa i kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ïa la i khun halor ka shadem jong ka. Ynda i khun i la kham san bad i la khlaïñ bha, ka ju bah ïa la i khun halor ka met jong ka. Dei ruh ha ka por ba ki ri khun, ba ki khun Shrieh ki sa tip ban jied kino ki jaid soh khlaw bad ki jaid khñiang jaid ksah kiba bit ban bam. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por, ha kaba ïit ksi ïit thyllah ïa la i khun. Ki Shrieh Bthuh ba la san ruh, ki ju ïa ïit ksi ïit thyllah mar kyliang para ma ki.

Hapoh ki khlaw ba ki don, lah ban ïohngew ïa ka jngpah jong ki kham na jngai. Ka long kaba phylla ba ki Shrieh Bthuh, haba ki don ha ka jingma, ki hiar pynsted nador dieng bad leit rich hapoh ki sañium, ba don ki phlang ba jrong bad ki dieng rit ba khah bad ba rben bha.

Ha Meghalaya ïa ki Shrieh Bthuh la lap ba ki don ha ki katto katne ki khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylliem Reserve Forest*, hapoh *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki khlaw. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw ba don ha ki phud wah jong ka wah Kupli, kiba don hajan khappud bad ka Karbi Anglong District jong ka jylla Assam, bad ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Flaka Labang Nongphyllut. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 23.5 Ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia ruh kum ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong hi. Ki Biate ki khot ïa ki Jongkak. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki, ki Makre Bonda. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ïa ki kum ki *Stump tailed Macaques*.

Ki Shrieh Lymboit tdong haba ki la san pura bha, ki heh kat ki Shrieh saw. La khot ïa ki, ki Shrieh Lymboit tdong namar, ba u tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot haduh katta katta, u jrong tang shi inshi ei ei. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kaba pyllun bad ba heh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba rit, kiba ïeng kum ki shkor briew bad ki bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba shalyntuiñ bad ba phyrnai bha. Ka khmat, ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh ki long ki bym don shñiuh. Ka rong jong ka khmat jong ki ka long kaba saw kumba tah *lipstick*, ka jingshong jong ki ruh ka long kaba saw. Hynrei, don ruh ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong kiba ka khmut jong ki kam saw kumba tah *lipstick*, katba ka jingshong jong ki ka saw hi kumba tah *lipstick*. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaïñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaïñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha khar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaïñ bad ba nep.

ïa ka met jong ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaïñ bad ba lam byriong saw ka rong. Ka shyllangmat jong ki, ka long kaba syllen, bad u shñiuh khlieh jong ki pat, u long uba lyngkot

Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh, ki Shrieh Lymboit tdong ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Hynrei ki pynlut ruh bun ka por ha madan madiah, bad ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi. Ki lah ban ïaid sted bad mareh la halor ki dieng ne ha madan madiah ruh. Ki lah ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rynsied na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Ki lah ruh ban rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, lada kita ki dieng ki ïadon marjan.

Ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong ki long kiba im hapoh ka knah ne ka kynhun kaba kham heh, kaba don hapdeng 20 bad 30 tylli. U Jha ne u nongialam jong ki, u dei u Shrieh Lymboit Tdong uba heh tam bad ba khlañ tam hapoh kata ka kynhun.

Ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong mar ia kynjat shai ki leit ban wad jingbam hapoh ki khlaw ba don ki dieng sohlyngdkhur, ha ka por ba dang don ki soh kiba ih. Barabor, lah ban lap ia ki halor kine ki dieng, ba ki ia bam soh. Ha kaba ki ia bam soh, ki long kiba kaw kaw, ba daw daw bad ba hylla bha. Ki bam ruh ia kiba bun jaid ki soh khlaw, ki sla lung, ki shylluit ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad ia ki syntiew jong ki katto katne ki jaid dieng bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah. Ha ka por shiteng sngi pat, ki ju shongthait, bad ha kane ka por ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kylliang para ma ki. Nangta ki sa leit wad jingbam biang. Ha ka por janmiet pat, ki leit phai sha u dieng ba ki ju sah miet. Ki thiah ki dem ruh halor ki tnad dieng heh, ha ki bynta ba kham sha kliar, khnang ba ki mrad ba mut ban bam ia ki, kum ki Khla kin nym lait ban kiew sha ki jaka ba ki thiah ki dem.

Ki Shrieh Lymboit tdong ki long kiba sianti bha. Ha ka por ba ki leit ban tuh jingbam na ki jaka rep jaka riang u khun bynriew, ki leit da kaba sngap jar; ha ka por ba ki bam ruh ki long kiba jar jar, bad kim ia hylla ne kaw kaw, kumba ki leh ha ka por ba ki bam jingbam hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Kane ka pyni ia ka jingstad bad jingshalak jong ki. Haba ki la ioh ban bam bha, ki pla jingbam jong ki kiba don hajan u ryndang jong ki, ki at bha. Hadien ynda ki la kwah ban bam biang, ki khñiot ia ka pla jingbam jong ki da ka shympriah'ti ba shakhmat jong ki ban mih ka jingbam hapoh ka shyntur jong ki bad ki sa bam ia kata ka jingbam.

Ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapdeng 4 bnai tam bad 6 bnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh iwei shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shisnem bad shisnem tam. Naduh ba kha ia i khun, ka kmie ka ialam ia i kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i halor ka shadem jong ka. Haba i khun i la san bad i la khlañ bha, ka ju bah ia la i khun halor ka met jong ka. Dei ruh ha ka por ba ki ri khun, ba ki khun Shrieh ki sa tip ban jied kino ki jaid soh, ki jaid shylluit jong ki jingthung bad ki jaid khñiang kiba bit ban bam. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por, ha kaba iit ksi iit thyllah ia la ki khun.

Ha Meghalaya, la lap ba ki Shrieh Lymboit Tdong ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don ha Garo Hills. Kine ki jaid Shrieh kim don hapoh ka *Nongkhylliem Reserve Forest* bad ha ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest*. Hynrei ki don pat sha kiwei ki khlaw, kiba don ha Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw kiba don ha ka phud wah jong ka wah Prang, sha thaiñ Huroi, Hingaria, ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. La lap ba ki don ruh, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei ki ri.

## 23.6 Ki Shrieh Rit.

Ki dei ki jaid Shrieh ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Shrieh khian. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Amak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, lah ban khot ia ki, ki *Small Monkeys*.

Ki Shrieh Rit haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng shi phut bad shiphut tam. Ki Shrieh Rit kynthei ki kham rit khyndiat ban ia ki shynrang. U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka kham rit bad ka long kaba pyllun. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, kiba ieng kum ki shkor briew bad ki bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long pyllun bad ba phymai. Ka khmat, ka khmut bad ka shyntur jong ki ruh, ki long ki bym don shñiuh. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki niat kiba rit, kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli,

ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Ia ka met bad u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñuh uba bñuh ka rong.

Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh, k1 Shrieh Rit ruh ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki lah ban iaid sted dar dar la halor ki dieng ne ha madan madiyah ruh. K1 lah ban kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rynsied na kawei ka tnad dieng sha kawei pat. Haba k1 dieng ki iadon marjan, ki lah wat ban rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat. Ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban jngi.

Ki Shrieh Rit ki long ki jaid Shrieh kiba im hapoh ka knah ne kynhun, kaba don hapdeng 8 bad 12 tylli. U Jha ne u nongialam jong ki u long uba heh tam bad ba khlaiñ tam hapoh ka knah.

Ki Shrieh Rit dang step phyrngap ki la mih ban leit wad jingbam. Ki bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki kait, ia ki shylluit jong k1 jingthung ba mih ha khyndew, ia ki katto katne ki jaid syntrew bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah. Ha ka por shiteng sngi ki iashong thait ha k1 jaka ba kah syrngiew k1 dieng. Ha kane ka por, ki ju ia iit ksi iit thyllah mar kyllhang para ma ki. Haden ba ki la dep shongthait ki leit wad jingbam biang. Ha ka por janmet ki leit phai sha u dieng ha uba ki ju sah miet. Ki thiah ki dem ruh ha ki bynta ba kham sha kliar jong ki tnad dieng, khnang ba ki mrad kiba mut ban bam ia ki, kim lah ban kiew sha k1 jaka ba k1 thuah k1 dem. K1 long ruh k1 jaid Shrieh kiba pynjot bad pynjutor bha ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Shrieh Rit k1 iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat k1 jaid Shrieh. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapdeng 4 bnai tam bad 6 bnai. K1 kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng shisnem bad shisnem tam. Naduh ba kha ia i khun, ka kmie ka ialam ia i kat shaba ka leit, da kaba rah ia i halor ka shadem jong ka. Haba i khun i la san bad i la khlaiñ bha, ka ju bah ia la i khun halor ka met jong ka. Dei ruh ha ka por ba ka ri khun, ba k1 khun Shrieh ki sa tip ban jied ia kino ki jaid soh, ki jaid shylluit jong k1 jingthung bad k1 jaid khñiang kiba bit ban bam. Ka kmie ka pyllut ruh bun ka por, ha kaba iit ksi iit thyllah ia la k1 khun.

Ha Meghalaya, ia ki Shrieh Rit la lap ha kiba bun k1 khlaw, kiba don ha ki phud wad jong ki wah, kiba don ha Garo Hills, ha Khasi Hills bad ha Jaintia Hills ruh. La lap ba kine ki jaid Shrieh ki don ha k1 khlaw kiba don ha k1 phud wah jong kiba bun k1 wah. Hynrei, don ruh ki khlaw kiba don ha k1 phud wah, tangba ym lap ba don k1 Shrieh Rit.

### 23.7 Ki Shrieh Kiba Rit Tam.

Ki dei k1 jaid Shrieh kiba ki Garo k1 khot, k1 Makre Wa 'Cheksi. Ha Khasi Hills bad ha Jaintia Hills, kine ki jaid Shrieh kim don. Ha ka kuen Phareng lah ban khot ia ki, ki *Lesser Monkeys*.

U Bah S.G.Momin u la thoh sha unc u Nongthoh ba ia ki jaid Shrieh ba rit tam ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Garo, kum ki Makre Wa 'Cheksi la lap ba k1 don harud jong ki wah, ha k1 jaka ba don ki siej bad ki khlaw kiba rit. Kine ki jaid Shrieh ki thaw ruh ia ka skum ha kaba k1 kha khun bad buh ia ki khun rit jong ki. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, ka rukom iapoikha jong ki bad ka dur ka dar jong ki, ka long kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Shrieh. Ki kha khun ruh iwei shisien kha, bad ki ri khun ruh hapdeng shisnem bad shisnem tam. Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban jngi.

**Ka Jingmyntol bad ka Jingpyndonkam ia ki Shrieh:**

Kiba bun ki jaid Shrieh ki long kiba bam bha ia ki khñiang ki ksiah, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad, ba ki khñiang ki ksiah ba kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

“Ia ki Shrieh Saw (*Rhesus Macaques*) don ki brieve sha ri dkhar, kiba kem bad shalan ia ki sha ri Sepngi. Ki *Scientist* ha ri Sepngi, ki ju pyndonkam bha ia kine ki jaid Shrieh ban leh *experiment* bad wad jingtip, kiba iadei bad ka *Medical Science*, kum kaba *test* shwa ha ki Shrieh Saw, ia ki injection bad ia ki dawai dashin ba ki dang shem thymmai, khnang ban dup tip la kita ki *injection* bad ki dawai dashin ki long kiba don jingma ne em. Ynda ki la lap ba ki long ki bym don jingma ne jingmynsaw, ki sa pyndonkam ia kita ki *injection* bad ia ki dawai dashin, ha ki brieve kiba pang”.

Ia kane ka bynta ba haneng une u Nongthoh u la pule ha kawei na ki jingthoh kaba la mih la hun snem ha ka kot khubor, “*The Times of India*”.

Ha kawei na ki programme ba la pyni ha ka *Discovery Channel*, lyngba ka *Television*, une u Nongthoh u la iohi bad iohsngew ruh ia ka jingbatai, ba ha kawei ka Shnong ha Kerela don ki brieve ba pyndonkam ia ki Shrieh ban kheit ia ki soh snep kor.

Ha katto katne ki *film* phareng bad *film* hindi ruh, ki ju pyndonkam ia ki Shrieh ban ak ha kita ki *film*.

Ia ki Shrieh la ju pyndonkam ruh ia ki, ha ki jingialehka *Circus*. Don ruh ki Dkhar kiba la *train* bad hikai bha ia ki Shrieh, ki ju leit ban pynshad ia kita ki Shrieh ha kylleng ki jaka Sor khnang ba kin dup ioh pisa. Wat haduh Shillong bad Jowai ruh ki nongpynshad Shrieh Dkhar ki ju wan ban pynshad ia ki Shrieh jong ki.

Ki brieve jong ngi bad kiba bun kiwei pat, ki jaid riwulum ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki Shrieh.

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### KI KHAPRANG

Kine ki jaid mrad ki don ar jaid - shi jaid ki long kiba met heh, ba sngaid bad ba lam tylli ka met jong ki bad ia kine la tip ia ki kum ki Khaprang Heh. Shi jaid pat ki long kiba met rit, ba raikhoh bad ba spud ka met jong ki, bad ia kine pat la tip ia ki kum ki Khaprang Rit. Ia kiba long met heh ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki "Durok" bad ia kiba met rit pat ki khot ia ki, ki "Gilwe", kaba mut kiba lehraiñ bad ba pyrshang ban buhrieh ia la ka khmat. Ki long ruh kumta namar, haba lap ne iakynduh ki brieve ia ki Khaprang ha khlaw, ki ju tap ia la ka khmat da ka kti jong ki. Ha ka ktien Phareng ia kiba met heh la tip ia ki kum ki "*Slow Loris*" bad ia kiba met rit pat la tip ia ki kum ki "*Slender Loris*".

Sha ka thaiñ Ummat kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Lakadong, la tip ia ki kum ki "Jipsang" namar shisien ba ki la bat ia ki tnad dieng, ym lah ban tan pyllait ia ka kti jong ki na kata ka tnad dieng bad hap ban da pduh da u dieng ha ka kti khnang ba kin pyllait na kata ka jingbat jong ki. Sha thaiñ Labang, kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Nongphyllut pat la tip ia ki kum ki "lapwang" namar, haba ki thiah sngi ha khap ki tnad dieng ne hapoh ka thliw dieng, ki kli pyllun ia ka met jong ki. Hynrei, wat haba pom ia uta u dieng ha uba ki thiah ruh, ki iöththiah lyngngai kumba iap bad kim kyndit na ka jingioththiah jong ki, tad haduh ba uta u dieng un hap ha khyndew bad ki sa kyndit ruma, kumta ki brieve da kaba suk ki ioh ban tied pyniäp ia ki. Sha ka thaiñ War Jaintia pat ki khot ia ki, ki Khaprang hi. Dei namar bym ioh ia ka kyrteng jong ki *Slow Loris* ha ka ktien Khasi, kumta la thoh beit da ka kyrteng Khaprang namar, ba kane ka ktien ka kham sngew iahap bad ka ktien Khasi.

Ki Khaprang heh, haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong shi phut bad shi phut tam. Ki khia pat kumba shi kilo tam. Ka khmat jong ki ka long kaba pyllun. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh bad ba pyllun, ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba nep kum ka kurat. Ki shympriahkijat jong ki, ki long kiba lyngkot, ba sngaid ba ksah bad ba khlañ bha. Ha baroh ki shympriahkijat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba sha khar ki shympriahkijat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep bha. Ki ksang'jat jong ki ruh ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ bha. U tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkot bha, uba shu paw tang tiak. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba rben bad ba jem, da ka rong ba lam byrthuh. Hapdeng ki khmat don ka jingthoh ba da ka rong lieh ba long kum u laiñ, narud ki khmat don ka jingthoh ba da ka rong jngem, narud kane ka rong jngem na ka bynta ba shalor don ka jingthoh da ka rong lieh. Nador ka khlieh don ka jingthoh ba da ka rong jngem, napdeng ka khlieh haduh ba kut u ryndang ruh don ka jingthoh ba long kum u laiñ ba da ka rong jngem hi. Hynrei don pat kiba lam byrthuh bad saw byrtem ka rong jong ka met jong ki, ka khmat ka long kaba lieh ka rong. Na ka shyllangmat bad napdeng ka met don ka jingthoh ba long kum u laiñ ba da ka rong jngem.

Ia ka met jong ki jaid Khaprang rit pat, la sop da u shñiuh uba rben bad ba jem bad ba long bthuh ka rong. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw bad ym don shñiuh na ka bynta ba narud jong ki shkor. Ka khmat jong ki ka long kaba nep. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh bad ba pyllun bha. Don ka jingthoh ba long kum u laiñ ba da ka rong lieh ba long kumba pyniakhlad ia ki khmat jong ki. Narud ki khmat la ker pyllun da u shñiuh ba long bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, ka shadem bad ka kpoh la sop da u shñiuh ba long lam byrthuh ka rong. Ki long ruh ki mrad ki bym don tdong. Ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 10 inshi.

Baroh ar jaid ki Khaprang ki long ki mrad ba wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Mar ia kem iongreñ ki khie na kaba ki thiah ha khap jong ki tnad dieng ne napoh ki thliw dieng bad ki leit wad

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jingbam ruh halor ki dieng. Ki Khaprang heh ki kham suki ha ka rukom ïaid ban ïa ki Khaprang rit. Baroh ar jaid ki bam bha ïa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad ïa ki khñiang ba har rukom. Ki im bad ki shong ki sah halor jong ki dieng. Ki hiar sha khyndew tang haba ki kwah ban leit sha kawei pat ka bynta jong ka khlaw ne ban kiew ïa uwei pat u dieng. Wat la ki long kiba suki ha ka rukom im jong ki, hynrei ha ka por ba ki kem ïa ki khñiang ki long kiba sted bha. Ki ju myllien ban im ha ki khlaw ba don harud ki phud wah, kum ha ki khlaw ba don ha ki phud jong ka wah Kupli, ka wah Myngngot bad kiba kum kita. U Bah M.M.Thaiang u la ïathuh ha une u nongthoh ba ki Khaprang ki don bun bha ha ka khlaw ba ki khot, “Ka Khloo Le Tymmen”, kaba dei ha khlaw jong ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut.

Sha thaiñ War Jaintia ka don ka jingngeit ba ka jingiakynduh jong u briew bad u Khaprang, ka pyni ïa ka dak ka shin kaba sniew, ba uta uba ïakynduh ne uwei na kiba ha ïing ha sem jong u. kin sa ïap shen.

U Bah L. Lamin ba na ka shnong Amkoi, ula ïathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba u la ïohi ba ki Khaprang ki pynjhieh ïa ki kti ki kjat jong ki ha ka jung jong ki. U la ong ba “Imat ki leh kumne ban buh dak ba kin dup tip ïa ka lynti ba ki ïaid ne ba ki buh la u pud u sam”.

Ki Khaprang heh bad ki Khaprang rit ruh, ki ïashongkha kumba ïashongkha ki Shrich. Ki Khaprang rit ki don ruh ka jingiasyriem ba malu mala bad ki Shrich. Ka por punkhun jong ki, ka long hapoh hynriew bnai bad ki kha khun tang iwei shisien kha. Ki ju ri khun ruh hapoh shisnem. Ki pyndonkam ïa u thylliej jong ki ban jliah pynkhuid ïa ki shympriahkjat jong ki. ïa u shñiuh jong ki pat ki pynkhuid da kaba sad da ki bniat jong ki.

“U Khaprang ne u Lajuki Bander kumba la tip ïa u ha ka ktien Assamese u don mynta ha tmier jong ka jingduh jaid; na ka 1000 tylli hadien 8 snem hapoh ki khlaw Assam sah sa tang 350 tylli”

“U long u mrad ba jur bha ka jingshah beh thong namar ka snieh ba sop da u shñiuh ba khah, ba rben bad ba jem bad ïa ka doh ba jem jong u (*Slow Loris* - ïa uba la tip ha ka ktien Assamese. “Lajuki Bander”- “*Blushing monkey*”- ïa u shriei ba lehraiñ bieij), u long u jaid mrad ba don ha tmier bha ka jingduh jaid napdeng kiwei pat ki *primate species* (ki jaid tngaw bad ki jaid Shriei kaba kynthup ruh ïa u briew), ïa uba la thoh hapoh *Schedule-I* jong Ka *Indian Wildlife Protection Act* 1971. Suki suki u la long u mrad uba lajan duhjaid na Assam, ka thaiñ ha kaba la ju lap ba u kynrei bha haduh kumba katto katne snem mynshwa.

“Kat kum ka record ba la buh ha ka *State Wildlife Conservator's Office* ka pyni ba ha u snem 1992 la don palat 1000 tylli kine ki jaid Shriei ba itynnad ha ki khlaw jong ka jylla Assam hynrei, hadien 8 snem, ha ka snem 2000 ki la sah sa tang 350 tylli haba la thoh khanasamari (*Census*) kaba long ka jingthoh kaba man ka snem”.

“Wat la lap ruh ïa u *Slow Loris* ha ki katto katne ki bynta ka ri China, Myanmar, Sri Lanka bad ha North East India, ka Assam ka la ju long ka jaka ha kaba u ju bun bha – kum ha ki District Kokrajhar, Kamrup, Karbi Anglong, Tinsukia bad N.C. Hills ki long ki jaka ba kongsan tam na ki jaka sah jong ki”.

“Ka jingkloi ka jingduna jong kine ki mrad ba don ha ka jingma ka la pynkyndit ïa ki *Wildlife Non Government Organisation (NGO)* bad ïa ki *Animal Lovers* (Ki seng ba peit ïa ki mrad khlaw bym dei ki seng Sorkar bad ki briew ba ieid ïa ki mrad) ha baroh kawei ka jylla. Ki nongtrei Sorkar ki



la buh *record* ba ha ka snem 1999 – 2000, ba la kumno kumno, 180 na ki la pyniāp hapoh kane ka por. Katba ka jingthoh *statistic* ha ka snem 1998 – 1999 ka pyni ba palat 260 tylli ki Khaprang la siat klep ia ki. “Ka jinglong ba shisha katno tylli kan long kham bun tylli ban ia kaba la ai jingtip”, la ong u Dr. Abdish Gongwar, U *Chief Project Coordinator* jong ka *Centre for Environmental Education (CEE)*, an *NGO Working for Wildlife Conservation*”.

“U la ong shuh ba ia une u mrad uba don ha tmier ka jingduh jaid la beh thong ia u namar ka snieh ba rben shñiuh ia kaba la ju suh ia ki *fur coat* bad *cap* (ki *coat* ba da ki shñiuh mrad bad ki tupia) bad ia ki jingbuh jingsat ban pynitynnad ha iing ha sem Dei ruh namar ka jingngeit bicit, kiba bun ki pyndonkam ia ki shyieng bad ki bniat jong u kum ki *good luck charm* ne ki jingdeng ban pynbha nusib, katto katne ki jaid briew trai ri ha Assam ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki”.

“Ki Khaprang ba la suh pyndap ia ka snieh jong ki da u skum ne kymphad ban i kumba ki dang im ki long kiba jur bha ka jingdawa ha ki ri ba don ha *Middle East* bad sha ri Sepngi, bad uwei u mrad u pyniōh pisa palat 25,000/- tyngka ia ki nongsiat klep; ka dor jong ki ka kiew bun lak tyngka ha ki iew jong ka pyrthei” la ong u Dr. B. Talukdar, u *Managing Director of Aaranyak Nature Club*, ka *Registered NGO* ba trei kylleng sawdong kane ka thañ na ka bynta ban pynneh pynsah ia ki mrad khlaw”.

“U Dr. Talukdar u la ong ba don sa uwei u jaid Khaprang ia uba la tip ha ka ktien Phareng kum u *Slender Loris* - une u jaid ruh u long uba ki briew ki ia beh thong bha na ka bynta ban pyndap ia ka snieh jong u ban long kum uba im, katba ia ki bniat bad ki shyieng jong u pat la pyndonkam ha kaba ia ki *Handicraft Artifacts* ban pynitynnad ia ki kynroh jong ki iing ki sem jong kiba riewspah. Katkum ka aiñ, ia kito kiba lap ba ki pyniāp lane ba ki riam ia une u jaid mrad dei ban pynshitom jur. Ka Sangeeta Goswami jong ka *People for Animals (PEA)* ba trei bad ba long ruh ka *expert* jong ki mrad ka la kynthoh jur ia ki bor ba peit ia ka aiñ namar ba kim pyntrei pyrkhing ia ka aiñ. Ka long kaba leh be-aiñ ne pynkheñ aiñ, la pyllait ia kiban leit khlem da hap ban siew ne shah pynshitom ei ei ruh, hadien kata ki leh biang ia kajuha ka jingsmew Uno uno uba lap ba u la pynkheñ ia ka aiñ ne u leh pop ba pynmysaw ia ki mrad ba don hapoh ka *Schedule 1* dei ban set patok haduh san snem bad hap ruh ban siew ia ka kuna ba 50,000/- tyngka, la ong ka Goswami”.

Ia kane ka bynta ba la thoh haneng la sot ia ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka Kot Khubor, “*The North East Daily*” halor ka heading “*Assam’s Lajuki Bandor on the verge of extinction*” ha ka 12.2.2001, ha ka sla 1.

La thoh khnang ia kane ka bynta haneng khnang ba ki paidbah kin sngewthuh ba haduh katno ba ki Khaprang mynta ki don ha ka khim khait ba ki lah ban jah rñgai noh na sla kane ka pyrthei. Kumta donkam ia ka jingiatrai lang jong ki paidbah bad ka Sorkar khnang ban dup lah ban pyrneh pynsah ia ki.

### **Ka jingpyndonkam bad ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Khaprang:**

Ia ka snieh ba don bad u shñiuh ba rben jong ki la ju suh ia ki *Fur Coat* bad ia ki tupia shñiuh mrad. Ia ki shyieng bad ki bniat jong ki, don ki briew ba deng ia ki khnang ba kin dup bha bok bha nusib. Ia ki snieh ba la suh pyndap da ki kynphad bad ki trai ba jem, khnang ba kin long haba peit kum kiba dang im la die remdor ia ki sha ki ri ba don ha *Middle East* bad sha ki ri Sepngi.

Namar ba ki Khaprang ki bam bha ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid, kumta ki ruh ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki khñiang kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat, kumta ki iarap ruh

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ban khanglad ia ka jingpynjulor jong ki khñiang ia ki dieng ha khlaw, ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki Khaprang ki bam bha ruh ia ki soh dieng khlaw ba bun jaid, kumta ki iarap ruh ban pynsaphriang ia ki symbai soh ba kin ioh ban mih ha kiba bun ki bynta jong ka khlaw ba ki shong ki sah.

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*Ki Khaprang Rit (dur sha kadiang) bad ki Khaprang Heh (dur sha kamon) ki wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Kine baroh ar jait ki Khaprang ki don ha ka jingsyier ka jingduhjaid namar ka jingpyniap klep ia ki da ki briew bad na ka jingduh jong ki khlaw ki bta.*

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip kum ki Kyrbai ha ka ktien Jaintia. Ia ki, la khot ki Molen ha ka ktien War Jaintia, ki Saphu ha ka ktien Biate, ki Kawate ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Pangolin* ha ka ktien Phareng. Kat kum ka *Webster's New World Dictionary* ia ka ktien *Pangolin* la ioh ia ka na ka ktien Malay, kaba mut kaba tyllun. Ka long ruh kumta namar haba ka Kyrbei ka sheptieng ne don ha ka jingma, ka kli mlon ialade kum ka bol kaba heh bha bad ba don jingat kum ka sohkseh bad ka pyntyllun ialade najrong lum sha trai lum bad kam ju mynsaw ei ei ruh.

Ki Kyrbei ki dei ki mrad saw kjat kiba pher bha ka dur ka dar na kiwei pat ki jaid mrad. Laitnoh ia ka kpoh jong ki, ia ka met jong ki la sop da ka kynja snep kaba jwat, ba eh bha, kaba rben bad ba shong syrtap kawei halor kawei pat bad ka iasyriem bha kumba long ka slatlai ne ka dieng kyrbei kumba khot ki nong Khadarshnong. Kine ki snep ba eh, ba rben bad ba jwat ki iada ia ki Kyrbei na ki mrad ba mut ban pynmynsaw ne pyniap ia ki. Ka rong jong ka snep jong ki, ka long bun jaid. Don kiba long lam byriong bthuh, don kiba stem lam byrlich, don kiba long lam bthuh bad don ruh kiba thoh stem rit kum ki tyngka pliah. Katba ia ka kpoh jong ki pat la sop da ka snieh kaba stang bad ba lieh sada ka rong. Ka khlich jong ki ka long kaba heh kat ka khlich u 'iar ryngkuh bad ka iasyriem ia ka khlieh Bseiñ. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep lynshuiñ kum u sohkseh ne ka samariah. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba rit bad ba phymar bha khamtam ha ka por miet. Ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ki tyrsim kjat jong ki ruh ki long kiba khlain, ba eh, ba nep bad ba tylli kum ki tyrsim jong u Ksew. Da ki tyrsim ba khlain jong ki, ki tih ne khlong thliw ha ka khyndew khnang ba kan long ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki. Ki khlong ruh ia ki skum dkhiew khnang ba kin ioh ban bam ia ki dkhiew lem bad ia ki pylleng jong ki.

Ki Kyrbei ki don saw jaid, kiba long lam byriong bthuh ka rong ki long kiba heh duh bad haba ki la san pura bha ki lah ban jrong haduh shi meter shiteng na khlich haduh ba kut u tdong jong ki. Ki Kyrbei ba thoh rong stem lam byrlich ka rong ki long kiba ar ha ka jingheh. Ka lynter jong ka met jong ki ka long shi phut tam bad ka kynian jong ka met pat ka duna shi phut. U tdong Kyrbei u duna shi phut ha ka jingrong. Ki Kyrbei ba lam iong bthuh ka rong ki long kiba lai ha ka jingheh. Ki Kyrbei kiba thoh rong stem rit kum ki tyngka pliah ki long kiba rit tam.

Ki Kyrbei ki long ki mrad ki bym don bniat hapoh ka shyntur jong ki. Ha ka jaka ban don bniat, don tang ka doh-len kaba eh bha. Ki don ruh u thylliej uba jrong, ba pait pnat bad ba pnah bha. Da u thylliej ki pyndonkam ban riam ia ki dkhiew, da kaba bsuh ia u shapoh ka skum dkhiew bad ynda la ngat bun tylli ki dkhiew ha u thylliej ba pnah jong ki, ki sa ring ia u shapoh ka shyntur jong ki bad ki sa bam shngiam ia kita ki dkhiew. Ka jingeh, jingrben bad ka jingiwat jong ka snep jong ki, ka iarap ban iada ia ki na ka jingdait jong ki dkhiew ba bun jaid. Ki bam ia ki Kber, ki Kruiñ, ki Khñiang ba jem ba don hapoh ka snep jong ka dieng pyut, ia u sohpaillen bad ia kiba kum kita. Namar ba ki Kyrbei ki long ki bym don bniat, kumta u Blei u la thaw bad saindur kyrpang ia u kpoh jong ki ban pynbiang ia ka jingduna. Ki Kyrbei ki nguid ruh ia ki maw kiba rit bad ia u shyiap ban pynkhlain ia ki snier ban tylliati ia ki jingbam.

Ki Kyrbei ki long ki mrad kiba trei kam ne wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Mynsngi ki thiah hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hapoh ka khyndew. Haba ki don hapoh ki thliw, ia ka lynti ban rung shapoh thliw, ki set ia ka da ka khyndew. Mynmiet pat ki mih napoh ki thliw ban wad jingbam. Ki trei shitom bha baroh shi meit khnang ban pynkdang ialade. Ka bor iw jong ki ruh ka long kaba

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khlañ bha bad ki long ruh kiba stad ban sngap nador khyndew da ki shkor jong ki lada don kruiñ ne em hapoh kata ka jaka. Hynrei ia ki shkor jong ki, ym lah ban iohi namar ki don ha khap ki snep jong ki. Tangba shisien ba ki la khlong ia ka khyndew, khlem pep kin lap ba don kruiñ hapoh kata ka jaka ba ki la khlong. Hynrei hashwa ba un riew u 'iar Ryngkuh ki dei ban poi shapoh la ki thliw ba ki shong ki sah. Namar lada lap ba riew ne kynih u 'iar ryngkuh katba kim pat poi shapoh ka thliw ba ki sah, kin neh ha kata ka jaka ba ki don ha ka por ba kynih u 'iar ryngkuh haduh ban da miet kylla. Ia kane ka bynta ba ki neh ha kajuha ka jaka lada u lap u 'iar ryngkuh ban kynih hashwa ba kin poi shapoh ki thliw ba ki sah, yn sa batai bniah kham shadien.

Ki Kyrbei ki long ruh ki nrad ba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki pyndonkam ia ki tyrsim ba khlañ, ba nep bad ia u tdong jong ki haba ki kiew dieng. Haba ki Kyrbei ki iañid ha madan, ki pyndonkam ia ki tyrsim kjat jong ki, da kaba ki pynkdor ia ki mat kjat jong ki. Teng teng ki ju iañid ruh da kaba pyndonkam tang ia ki kjat ba shadien jong ki. Haba ki iañid kumne ki rah ia la u tdong shalor khnang ba kan nym khia shilliang.

Teng khat ki briew ki ju lap ia ka Kyrbei ba ka dang rung shapoh thliw bad u tdong jong ka u dang don shabar jong ka thliw. Kumta ki bat thrait ia u tdong jong ka. Hynrei lada ki don ar ne saw ngut ki briew ruh, lada ki pyrshang ban tan jubor khnang ba kan mih napoh kata ka thliw, kin nym lah satia ban leh kumta namar, ka Kyrbei ka la pynieng ia ki snep ba eh bad ba jwat jong ka bad ki dung ia ka khyndew ban long kum ki speh ne ki prek, kumta kin nym lah ban sei ia ka shabar jong kata ka thliw. Haba kumne ki hap ban tih ia ka khyndew khnang ba kin dup lah ban sei ia ka.

Ki Kyrbei ki ju kha khun tang iwei shisien kha bad ka long kaba ñiar bha ba kin kha ar tylli ha kajuha ka por. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long saw bnai tam ne 140 sngi. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por tlang ha u bnai Kyllalyngkot bad Rymphang, kata ia kito kiba la don ha kane ka thaiñ jong ngi. Hynrei ia kito kiba don sha kiwei pat ki jaka bad ki ri, ki kha khun ruh ha ki bnai ba iapher na kaba ki Kyrbei ba don ha kane ka thaiñ. Ha ka por kha, ka snep jong i khun ka long kaba jem bha bad ka sa eh hadien katto katne sngi. I khun Kyrbei i ju sngewtynnad bha ban shong kulai halor u tdong jong ka kmie, da kaba bat skhem bha da ki tyrsim jong i. Barabor, bad kat shaba ka leit ka kmie Kyrbei ka ju kit ia la i khun ha la u tdong tad haduh ba i la san bad i la lah ban peit hi iañade.

U Bah Bniah Lathong ba na ka Shnong Khatkasla, u la iañthuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ha ka snem 1994, ha kawei ka miet jong u bnai Lber, katba u dang ap mrad nador ka Lakyndang (Ka jaka ap mrad ba la shna halor u dieng) ha ka por shiteng synña u la iohi ia ka mrad ba khyllah ba kynsha, kaba don ki khmat na khlieh bad na tdong jong ka, kiba saw phyrnai bha. Ha kata ka por u la pyrkhath ba lehse ka dei ka ksuid. Hynrei namar ba u dang bat ia ka suloi um shym la sheptieng bad u la thew ia ka suloi sha kata ka mrad bad u la siat dam. Ynda u la iohi ba kata ka mrad ka khlem khih shuh bad ba ka la iañ, u la hiar nador ka Lakyndang sha trai jong uta u dieng, bad ynda u la poi hajan jong kata ka mrad u la tbeh ia ka *torchlight* jong u bad u la iohi ba dei pynban da ka Kyrbei bad halor u tdong jong ka i don i khun rit jong ka. Dei ruh namar kane ka daw ba u la iohi ia ka mrad kaba don ki khmat ha ka khlieh bad ka tdong jong ka. Nangta u la shim ia kata ka Kyrbei bad ia i khun ba dang im bad rah ia ki sha la iing.

Haba lap ki briew ia ki Kyrbei mynsngi, ba ki neh shi jaka ki pynñap suk ia ki bad bam ia ka doh ba shngiam jong ki. Ki neh ne sah kumne namar ba u la lap u 'iar ryngkuh ban kynih hashwa ba kin poi sha ki jaka ba ki shong ki sah. Na ka daw ba ha ka por barim, hyndai hynthai ka la don ka jingñasmai hapdeng u Ryngkoh Rangñiaw ('iar ryngkuh) bad u Kyrbei.

Kat kum ka jingīathuh khana pateng ki riewtymmen, kata ka jingīasmai ka la long kumne. Ha ka por kulong kumah, hyndai hynthai, ha kata ka por ki laiphew mrad ki laiphew mreng bad ki sim ki doh ki dang lah ban īakren īa khana para maki ne bad u khun bynriew ruh. Te ynda la poi ka por ba u khun bynriew u la khreh ban ri noh īa ki jingri jingdup ba bun jaid kum īa ki Syiar, ki Sniang, ki Masi, ki Blang bad īa kiba kum kita ki mrad ki mreng bad ki sim ki doh khnang ba un dap un biang ka bam ka sa, u Kyrbei u la ong ha u Syiar, “Ba lada u khun bynriew un ri īa ngi te ngin sa duh jaid namar ba ngim lah ban kha roi kum ki Syiar ki Blang. Ngī barabor ngi kha tang iwei shi snem bad teng khat eh ba don ba kha ar tylli shisien kha. Kumta namar ba ka doh jong ngi ka long kaba bang shngiam bha ban bam, te kumta ngin sa shah bam doh lut baroh bad ngin sa jah mgai na sla kane ka pyrthei. Namarkata ka daw ngi ngin nym treh ban leit sah bad u khun bynriew”.

“Haba mem treh ban leit sah bad u khun bynriew, ngan īathuh ma nga keiñ hangno ba me shong me sah”, la phai ktien u Syiar.

“Kumno men īathuh hangno ba ngan shong ngan sah namar, ngin ym īa kynduh shuh, ynda me leit ban shong ban sah bad u khun bynriew?” la kylli u Kyrbei.

“Haba kumta balei mem leit wad jingbam shuh ha ka por sngi?” la kylli pat u Syiar.

“Em, me mut nga uba bieit kum ma me seh, nga te ngan wad jingbam noh mynmiet mynsynñia”, la phai ktien biang u Kyrbei.

“To kata, ngin īa smai noh, lada jia ba ngan lap īa me ha ka por kynjat shai, ynda nga la kynih bad mem pat poi sha la ka jaka shong jaka sah, men neh bad sah ha kajuha ka jaka ba me don ha ka por ba nga kynih bad ba mem lah shuh ban leit phai sha la ka thliew tad haduh ba ynda miet kylla”, la kop u Syiar ban īa smai.

“To, ai ba kan long kumta”, la monjur lang u Kyrbei ban īa smai.

Dei ruh naduh kata ka por ba ki Kyrbei ki neh ha kano kano ka jaka ba ki don haba u īiar ryngkuh u la kynih hashwa ba kin poi sha la ka jaka shong jaka sah.

Īa ki Kyrbei, la lap ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India. Ki don ruh ha kiba bun ki ri kiba don hapoh ka dewbah Africa bad ka dewbah Asia.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Kyrbei ki long kumne harum:**

Ki Kyrbei ki īarap ban khang lad īa ka jingroi palat ki Dkhiew bad ki Kruiñ namar, ki Dkhiew ki Khruñ bad ki pylleng jong ki ki long ka jingbam ba kongsan jong ki Kyrbei.

Haba pdang ki khongdong kjat bad kata ka jingpdang katba tah dawai ruh kam jem bad ka lah ruh ban don ka jingmih snam na kata ka jingpdang, kane ka mut ba don ki jaid khñiang ba shong hapoh jong kata ka jingpdang. Khnang ban pynduh īa kata ka jingpdang, shim kat ban biang ka snep Kyrbei bad thang ne syang īa ka ha ka ding haduh ba kan da shroiñ bha. Nangta sa tylliāt īa ka haduh ba kan da ni bha. Sa khrud pat kyndiat ka bñiat hati bad sa khleh lang īa ki bad ka umphniang snepkor. Nangta sa tah īa kane ka dawai ha kata ka jingpdang khongdong kjat bad phin shem ba tang hadien katto katne sngi kata ka jingpdang ka la jem.

Haba don simad ha ka palong thiah jong phi, shim khyndiat ka snep Kyrbei bad buh ia ka ha khap jong ki lyntang palong, ki simad kin iap lut ne her krad sha jngai na kata ka jingthiah.

Khnang ban iada ia ki jingri jingdup jong phi ban lait na ka jingpang iiangkhnep ia kaba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ka "*Foot and mouth disease*", shim khyndiat ka snep Kyrbei bad sah ia ka hapoh ka sem jong ki jingri jingdup jong phi.

Ki Kobiraj ki ju shna dawai na ka khleiñ jong ki kyrbei da kaba khleh lang bad ki dawai kynbat ban sumar ia kiba pangmat.

Ki nong China ki ju shna bun jaid ki dawai na ka snep ki Kyrbei da kaba khleh lang bad ki dawai kynbat ba bun jaid khnang ban sumar ia ki jingpang kiba pher bapher. Kane ka jingshna dawai na ka snep ki Kyrbei ka long kaba jur bha ha ri China, kumta ka jingdawa ia ka snep Kyrbei ka long kaba jur bha haduh ba tang napoh ri China ym lah shuh ban pyndap ia ka jingdonkam jong ki. Kumta ha kine ki sanphew snem la don ka jingpyniap ba shyrkhei ia ki Kyrbei ha kylleng ka Meghalaya bad sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, khnang ban ioh die remdor ia ki snep jong ki sha kito ki nongkhañi tuh, kiba shalan tuh pat ia ki sha China lyngba ka ri Myanmar (Burma) bad Nepal. Namarkata, donkam ia ka jingiatrei lang jong ki bor pyniaid Shnong, ki bor Sorkar, ki Sengbhalang bad ki paidbah khnang ban dup lah ban ialeh pyrshah ia kito kiba kwah ban kamai da kaba die ia ki snep Kyrbei. Lada ngim iatrei lang ban iada ia ki Kyrbei, kam slem shuh ka por ba kin duh jaid na sla jong kane ka pyrthei. Ka *Forest Department* lyngba ka *Wildlife Wing* jong ka lem bad ka jingiatrei lang jong ka *Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Department* ki la dei ban buh noh ka tnad treikam ban pynroi biangia ki Kyrbei ia kaba yn khot ka *Breeding in Captivity*, lym kumta ka don ka jingma kaba khraw ba yn dang lah ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki ha sla kane ka pyrthei.

Ha kajuha ka por, ngi dei ban kynmaw ba ki Kyrbei ki long ki mrad bym don jingma ei ei ruh ia ki briew. Ngi dei ruh ban kynmaw ba lada ki Kyrbei kin duh kin dam na sla kane ka pyrthei, kan don ka jingduh kaba khraw ia u khun bynriew namar, ka jingbam ba kongsan jong ki ka dei da ki dkhiew, ki pylleng dkhiew, ki kber bad ki kruiñ. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ia ka jingroi palat jong ki dkhiew bad ki kruiñ. Ki dkhiew, khamtam ki kruiñ, ki long ki nongpynjutor ia ki khlaw ki btap bad ia ki dieng ki siej. Kumta ha bym don shuh ki Kyrbei kin ioh ban kha roi shaba palat haduh katta katta bad kin pynlong ka jingpynjot pynjutor kaba khraw ia ki khlaw ki btap bad ia ki dieng ki siej ruh. Namarkata, ngi baroh kiba sngewthuh shaphang kane ngi dei ban pynsngewthuh ia kiwei pat na ka bynta ka jingmyntoi jong ngi hi.

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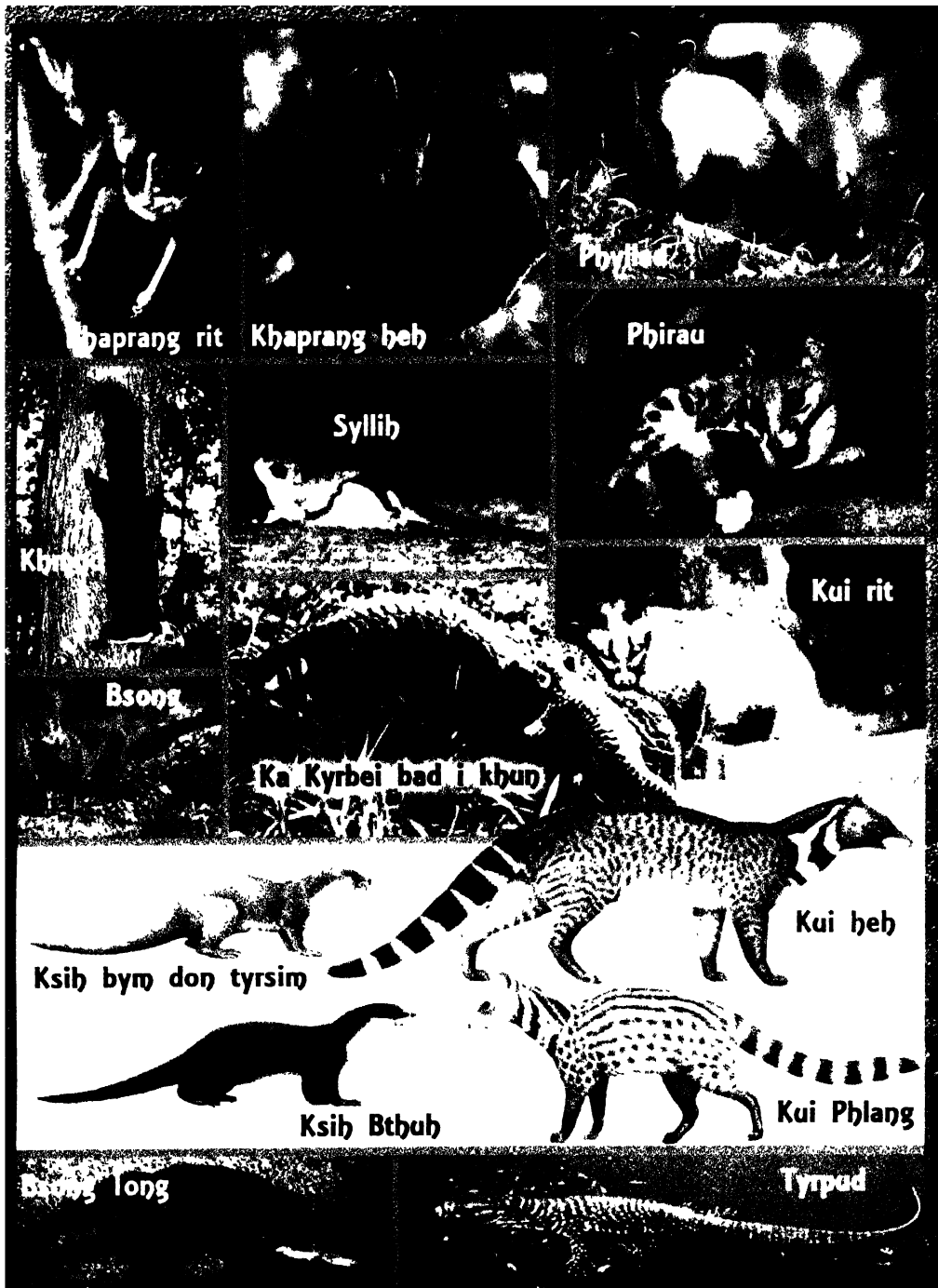
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### KI TYRPUD

La khot ïa ki ha ka ktien Jaintia ki Tyrpid, ki Sartang ha ka ktien Biate, ki Matpu ha ka ktien Garo bad ki *Monitor Lizards* ha ka ktien Phareng.

#### 26.1 Ki Tyrpud.

Ki Tyrpud ki long ki mrad saw kjat kiba sniew dur bha. ïa ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba jwat, ba eh bad ba long sakharew rit (Sakharew ka mut bym jlih). Ka rong jong-ka snieh jong ki, ka long kaba bthuh lam byriong bad ba don jingthoh kiba rit ba rit kum ki *dot* ba da ka rong ïong. Ki don ruh kiba ïa ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh ba lam stem ka rong bad ba don jingthoh kiba rit ba rit ba da ka rong ïong. Ki don pat kiba ïa ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh ba lam byrtem bthuh bad byrlieh, kiba don bad ki jingthoh barit barit kum ki *dot* ba da ka rong ïong bad kiba don ruh kiba ïa ka snieh jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba long lam byrthuh ka rong bad ki don hi ki jingthoh ki barit barit kum ki *dot* ba da ka rong ïong. Hynrei ïa ka shadem, ka kpoh bad ka bynta ba napoh jong u tdong jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba jlih ba stang ba da ka rong stem bad ba thoh pan da ka rong lieh. Ki don pat kiba ïa ka shadem, ka kpoh bad ka bynta ba napoh u tdong jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba jlih, ba stang bad da ka rong stem bad ba thoh pan pat da ka rong ïong.

Ki Tyrpud kiba heh tam ki jrong lai phut tam, kata naduh khmut haduh kliar u tdong jong ki. Kiba ar ha ka jingheh ki jrong ar phut tam. Kiba lai ha ka jingheh ki jrong ar phut duna bad kiba rit tam ïa kiba ki briew sha thain Shilliang-Myntang ki khot ïa ki Kohke, kine pat ki jrong tang shi phut.

Halor ka met jong ki Tyrpud, narud jong u budlum, na baroh arliang don ka jingat kaba long kum u myllon bad ka them hapdeng.

Ka khlieh jong ki Tyrpud ka heh kumba ar inshi ei ei, ka long kaba lam nep bad ka ïasyriem ïa ka khlieh Bseñ. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat bad kawei ka shyntur. Ki long ruh ki mrad ki bym don bniat kumba long ki Kyrbei. Ki don u thylliej uba jrong, ba paitpnat bad ba pnah bha. Ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha baroh ki shympriahkjat jong ki pat mih ki tyrsim, kiba long tylli kum ki tyrsim Ksew bad kiba jrong shi inshi shiteng. Ki tyrsim jong ki, ki long kiba khlañ, ba eh, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Tyrpud ki leit wad jingbam ha ka por sngi hynrei, ki wad jingbam bha ha ka por step bad por janmiet ha shwa ba ka sngi kan sep. Ki bam bha ïa ki Dkhiew, ki pylleng Dkhiew, ki kber, ki Kruñ, ki Khñiang, ki Puit, ki Jakoid, ki pylleng jong ki sim, ki Sim rit bad ïa u Sohpaileñ. Ha ka por ba ki leit wad jingbam hapoh khlaw, ki ïaid suki bad ki ju sei de ïa u thylliej jong ki lir-lir lar-lar kumba sei thylliej u Bseñ. Haba ki lap ba ïaid kynhun ki dkhiew ha khyndew ha khlaw, ki ju siang ïa u thylliej ha ka lynti ba ïaid ki Dkhiew. Ki Dkhiew ruh ki ïa boi ïa u thylliej jong ki bad namar ba u thylliej jong ki u long uba pnah bha ne ba jnah bha, kumta da ki spah tylli ki ngat ha u thylliej jong ki bad haba ki la sngewbiang ki nguid ïa la u thylliej jlang bad ki sa bam shngiam ïa kita ki Dkhiew. Haba ki lap pat ïa ki skum Dkhiew, ki ju bsuh ïa la u thylliej hapoh ka skum Dkhiew bad ynda la ngat bun ki Dkhiew ki sa nguid ïa u thylliej bad bam ïa kita ki Dkhiew. Da ki tyrsim ba nep jong ki pat ki ju khleng ïa ka skum Dkhiew bad bam ïa ki pylleng Dkhiew bad ïa ki khun Dkhiew ruh. Ki ju khleng ruh ïa ki skum jong ki Kruñ bad bam ruh ïa ki.

Ki Tyrpud ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha ki ñiangblen. Ki Tyrpud ki long ruh ki mrad ki bym ju kha da ki khun hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng. Ki Tyrpud jaid heh ki kha pylleng haduh 30 tylli bad ki pylleng jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun. Kiba pdeng ka jingheh, ki kha hapdeng 20 bad 25 tylli ki pylleng. Kiba jaid rit pat ki kha pylleng hapdeng 15 bad 18 tylli. Ka rukom kha pylleng jong ki ruh ka long kaba pher na ka rukom kha pylleng ki Syiar ne ki Sim, kiba kha tang kawei shisien kha. Hynrei ki Tyrpud ki kha pylleng shisien kha ha kajuh ka por, kawei hadien kawei pat syriem kumba kha pylleng ki Dkar bad ki Jynro. Kumta, ki Tyrpud ha ka por ba ki kha pylleng ki hap ban kyan shi kyan haduh ba kin da dep ban kha lut ïa ki pylleng jong ki. Ki ju kha pylleng ruh hapoh ki thliw ba ki tih hapoh khyndew hynrei, kham bunsien hi ki ju kha pylleng hapoh ki thliw ba shong ki Kruiñ, khnang ba hadien 30 sngi ynda ki pylleng ki la bthei bad mih ki khun Tyrpud, kumta kita ki khun kin ïoh jingbam da kaba bam ïa ki Kruiñ ba don hapoh kata ka thliw. Ki tang shu dep ban kha pylleng, ki tap ïa kita ki thliw da ki sla bad da ka khyndew. Ki Tyrpud ba don sha kane ka thaiñ jong ngi ki ju kha pylleng ha u Nailar. Kito kiba kham kloï ban kha, ki ju kha pylleng hapoh 15 tarik u Nailar bad kito pat kiba kham slem ban kha, ki ju kha pylleng hapoh ka 25 tarik u Nailar hi.

Ki briew jong ngi haba ki lap ïa ki thliw ba la kha pylleng ki Tyrpud ki ju shim ïa ki pylleng bad ki sa sdieh ne shet ïa ki ba kin dup bam. Sha ka thaiñ Wyrto (Barato) bad sha kiwei kiwei ki thaiñ, khnang ban pynneh slem ïa ki pylleng Tyrpud, ki ju shet shwa ïa ki haduh ban da ih bad sa buh ïa ki halor ki tyngir. Kumta ynda ki kwah ban tah jingtah da ki pylleng Tyrpud ha ka por ba ki bam ja, ki shim ïa ki pylleng Tyrpud na tyngir bad ki suh ïa ki ha u nar thang ktung. Nangta ki sa thang ïa ki ha ka ding khnang ba kin siep biang bad ba kin khluid ruh, bad ki sa bam ïa ki. Ki pylleng Tyrpud ki long kiba bang bha ban bam.

Ki Tyrpud wat la ki long kiba sniew dur, ka doh jong ki pat ka long kaba jem bad ba kham bang ban ïa ka doh syiar.

Ki Tyrpud ki long ruh ki mrad ki bym don ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynneh pynsan ïa la ki khun. Ka kmie Tyrpud shisien ba ka la dep kha pylleng bad tep khyndew ruh ïa ka thliw ha kaba ka la kha pylleng, ka kamram bad ka jingkitkhlieh jong ka na ka bynta la ki khun ruh ka la kut. Ki khun Tyrpud ki wad jingbam hi bad ki kit khlieh hi ïa la ka jong ka jingim.

Ki Tyrpud ki long ruh ki mrad kiba lah ban kiew dieng bad ki lah ruh ban jngi. Ki ju sngewtynnad ban shong hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew, hapoh ki thliw maw ba don bad ka khyndew, ha ki ki thliw ba don ha trai jong ki diengbah bad hapoh ki dieng ba la ïaw bad tymmen kiba la pei thliw naduh trai.

Ha ka snem 1998 ha u bnai Kyllalyngkot, une u Nongthoh u la leit ïalam ïa ka kynhun ki Nongshad Laho, kiban ïa shim bynta ha ka Republic Parade jong ki *Tableaux* ha New Delhi. Ha kawei ka sngi, ha ka por ba leit thied tiar na Palika Bazar, uwei u paralok u la kwah ban thied panpoh bad ngi la ïa rung hapoh kawei ka dukan ha kaba ki die bun jaid ki panpoh bad ki tiar ba har rukom. Uta u paralok hadien ba u la peit bniah ïa ki panpoh ba don ha kata ka dukan u la jied ïa uwei u panpoh bad ynda u la kylli ïa u trai dukan katno ka dor une u panpoh, u trai dukan u la ïathuh ba ka dor uta u panpoh ka long haduh 275 tyngka uwei. Kumta une u Nongthoh u la kylli pat balei u remdor haduh katta katta? Uta u trai dukan u la ïathuh ba ïa uta u panpoh la shna ïa u na ka snieh jong u mrad ba ki khot *Monitor Lizard* ha ka ktien Phareng, kaba mut ba la shna ïa u da ka snieh Tyrpud. Uta u trai dukan u la pyni ruh ïa ki beg bad ïa ki juti ba la suh na ka snieh jong ki Tyrpud bad kita ruh ki long kiba remdor bha, bad u la ïathuh ruh ba don ki briew ba shna wat ïa ki ksing ruh na ki snieh jong

ki Tyrpud. U Pastor B. B. Lamin u la iathuh ba na ka snieh ki Tyrpud, ki briew ki ju shna ki jingsop wait, namar ka snieh Tyrpud ka long kaba jwat, kumta kine ki jingsop wait bala shna na ka snieh Tyrpud, ki shan bad neh slem bha haduh katta katta.

Ha ka taiew ba khadduh jong u Naiwieng, ki Tyrpud ki ju nguid tylli ia uwei u jaid tyrkhang khlaw, uba eh bad jwat bha khnang ba un long kum ka jingbam ha ka por ba ki thiah lynter kumba thiah ki Dngiem. Ha ka taiew ba nyngkormg jong u Nohprah ki ngam shapoh ki thliew ki krem bad ki sa tap ia ka lynti ban rung sha kita ki thliew ki krem da ka khyndew. Nangta ki sa thiah lynter hapoh kita ki thliew ki krem khlem bam khlem dih bad ki sa mih pyrthei pat ha ka taiew ba nyngkong u bnai Lber, bad ki sdang ban wad jingbam shajan jong kita ki thliew ki krem. Lada ioh ia ki ha kane ka por ba ki dang shu mih pyrthei na ka jingiai thiah ba slem bad ba ilan jong ki, uto u Tyrkhang khlaw uba eh bad ba jwat bha ba ki la nguid tylli ha u Naiwieng, ha kane ka por yn lap ia u hapoh ka kpoh jong ki, uba la kylla iong ngaii ka rong, uba la jem bha bad uba long ruh ka dawar kaba bha na ka bynta ki briew kiba don ka jingpang suh jong ki krung bad ba pangmat.

Ia ki Tyrpud, la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri ruh kumjuh.

### **Ka jingpyndonkam bad ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Tyrpud:**

Ki briew sha ri Dkhar ki ju suh ia ki juti, ki beg bad ia ki panpoh na ka snieh jong ki Tyrpud bad ki die remdor ia ki. Sha ri Dkhar, don ruh ki briew ba pyndonkam da ki snieh ki Tyrpud ban shna ia ki Ksing bad kine ki Ksing ruh ki long kiba remdor. Ngai ioh ruh ban bam ia ka doh bad ia ki pylleng ba bang jong ki Tyrpud.

Ia ka doh bad ki pylleng jong ki, ngi ki riwulum ngi bam bha ia ki. Ia ka khleiñ ki Tyrpud, ki ju sdieh ia ka khnang ba kan um bad long kum ka umphniang bad ki Kobiraij ki ju pyndonkam ia ka ha kaba khleh lang ia ka bad ki kynbat dawar khnang ba kan long ka dawai ba bha ban sumar ia kiba pangmat.

Ki Tyrpud ki long ruh ki bym don jingma ia u briew. Namarkata, dei ban ialeh ban pynneh pynsah bad tyngkai ia ki namar, da ka jingbam jong ki ia ki Dkhiew bad ia ki Kruiñ, ki iarap ban khanglad ia ka jingroi ba palat jong ki Dkhiew bad ki Kruiñ bad kumta ki iarap ban iada na ka jingpynjulor jong ki Kruiñ ia ki dieng ki siej kiba long ka spah jong ka ri. Ki Dorbar Shnong ki dei ban khang ne mana ba ym bit ban pyniap ia ki Tyrpud ha u Nailar namar dei ha une u bnai ba ki kha pylleng. Na ka liang ka Sorkar ruh lyngba ka *Forest Department* bad ka tnad treikam ba la tip kum ka *Wildlife Wing* ki dei ban ai jingiada ia ki Tyrpud khnang ba kin dup lah ban roi biang kumba ki long ha ki por ba mynshwa.

## **26.2 Ki Tyrpud Um.**

Ha ka ktien Jaintia la khot ia ki, ki Tyrpid um, ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Pusi A'ga bad ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Water Monitor Lizards*.

Ki Tyrpud Um ki don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bha bad ki Tyrpud. Ki long kiba tbit bha ban jngi bad ki lah ban im hapoh um bad ha ryngkew ruh. Kine ki bam bun jaid ki jingbam, naduh ki dohkha rit, ki Lun, ki Dkhiew bad wat ia ki mrad rit ruh. Ki wad jingbam hapoh um bad ha ryngkew. Ki Tyrpud Um ki long kiba don bad ki bniat kiba kdor shadien kumta ki iapher ha kane ka bynta na ki

## KI TYRPUD

Tyrpud ba im ha ryngkew kiba long ki bym don bniat. Kumba long hi ki Tyrpud ba im ha ryngkew, ki Tyrpud um ruh ki don kiba heh bha, don kiba shu pdeng ka jingheh bad don ruh kiba jaid rit. Ia ka met jong ki ruh la sop da ka snieh ba jwat, ba eh bad ba long sakharew ba da ka rong lam byrtem. Don kiba lam bthuh bad kiba lam byriong jngem. Ha Jaintia Hills, ha ka por ba mynshwa, la ju lap ba ki don bun ha ka wah Kupli bad ha ki wah ba don ha khappud bad ka Bangladesh. La lap ruh ba ki don ha ki katto katne ki bynta ka ri Bhoi District, ha West Khasi Hills District bad ha ki katto katne ki bynta ka East Khasi Hills District. Hynrei mynta te ki la duna bha namar ki briew ki pyniap ia ki bad bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki.

Ki Turpud Um ba ki Garo ki khot Adil Wak ne ki Mitdil Wak kine ki jrong shi phut ei ei bad ka rong jong ka snieh jong ki ka long rong *Chocolate* bad don ruh ka jingthoh pan ba da ka rong stem bad rong jong halor ka met jong ki. Ki long kiba tbit bha ban jngi bad ki lah ruh ban im hapoh um bad ha ryngkew. Ki wad jingbam ruh hapoh um bad ha ryngkew. Ki bam kumba bam ki Tyrpud Um ba don sha ki thain jong ngi.

Ki Tyrpud Um ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki 'Niangblen bad ki 'Niangbshiah. Kine ruh kim kha da ki khun hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng kumba kha ki Tyrpud ba im ha ryngkew. Ki ju kha pylleng ruh ha ki thliw ba ki tih ha u shyiap ba don harud jong ki wah. Ka por kha pylleng jong ki ka dei ha ki bnai Tlang. Kiba heh ki kha ruh kham bun tylli ki pylleng, kiba pdeng ka jingheh ki kha pylleng kham duna na kaba kha kiba heh bad kiba jaid rit pat ki kha kham khyndiat tylli. Mar ia dep kha pylleng ki pyndap ne tep ia ki thliw ha kiba ki la kha pylleng da u shyiap. Ka kamram jong ki kum ki kmie ruh ka la kut noh tang shu dep kha pylleng namar kim hap ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun.

Ha Garo Hills, don sa ki Tyrpud Um ba radbah ia kiba ki khot ki Pusil A'ga. Kine ki don ka jingiasyriem jong ki khyndiat bad ki Tyrpud bad khyndiat pat ki iasyriem ia ki *Alligator* kiba long ki kynja *Crocodile*. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba jwat, ba eh bad ba don ka jingthoh ba long kum u syntiew ba da ka rong stem. Ia ka kpho la sop da ka snieh ba jlih ba long rong lam byrtem.

Ki Pusil A'ga ne ki Tyrpud Um ba radbah haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong haduh 7 phut bad ka kynian ka met jong ki pat haduh 3 phut. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba kdor shadien. Ki bam ruh naphang kat kaba ki ioh la ia ki mrad, ki sim, ki pylleng sim, ki khniang kum ki 'Nianglartham, 'Niangblen, 'Niangbshiah, ki Jakoid, ki Tham, ki Lun bad wat ia u briew ruh lada u don hapoh wah ki leit ban dait bad pyniap ia u. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kaba heh, ba syriem ia ka khlieh Bsein. Ka shyntur ka lam nep. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat bad ka bor jingiw jong ki ka long kaba khlain bha. Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban kiew dieng. Ki wad jingbam hapoh um, ha khyndew bad halor ki dieng.

Ki Pusil A'ga ruh kim kha da ki khun, ki kha da ki pylleng. Ki kha hapdeng 25 bad 30 tylli hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih ha u shyiap ba don haruh jong ki wah. Ki kha ruh baroh ki pylleng shisien kha kawei hadien kawei pat. Mar iadep kha ki pyndap ne tep ia ki thliw ha kiba ki la kha pylleng da u shyiap. Kine ruh ki long ki bym don jingkitkhlieh ha kaban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun.

Ia ki Tyrpud Um la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh aa ki Tyrpud Um:**

Ki brierw ki bam ia ka doh bad ia ki pylleng jong ki. Ia ka khleia jong ki, ki Kobiraij ki shna dawai ban sumar ia kiba pangmat. Sha ri Dkhar, ia ka snieh jong ki, ki pyndonkam ha kaban suh ia ki panpoh, ki beg, ki juti bad don ruh ki ksing ba la shna da ka snieh jong ki.

Namar ba ki bam bha ia ki 'Nianglertham bad ia ki Tham, kumta ki khanglad ia ki ba kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat. Kumta ki pynduna ia ki 'Nianglertham kiba long kiba don bih bad ba ju dait brierw; ki pynduna ruh ia ki Tham kiba pynjutor ia ki nur um ba ki brierw ki ring um ban pynpoi sha ki lonokha ki risa iono ki

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Uwei na ki jait Tyrpud (*Monitor Lizard*).

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### KI PHYLLAD

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia ruh kum ki Phyllad hi. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki ki Gredang Rimet. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Himalayan Yellow Throated Martens*.

Ki Phyllad ki don ka met ka phad kaba jrong jwiang bad ba khlaĩn. Naduh ka khmut haduh ka kliar u tdong jong ki, ki jrong hapteng 24 inshi bad 40 inshi. U tdong ba saphum jong ki u jrong hapteng 8 inshi bad 15 inshi. Ki Phyllad Kynthei ki kham rit khyndiat ĩa ki shynrang. ĩa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba khah ba jem bad ba jlih bha ba da ka rong ba lam byriong phymai. ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ryndang la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem bad ba jlih bha ba da rong ba lambyrtem. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba kham heh ĩa ka khlieh ki Miaw-wa bad ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki heh, kat ki khmat Miaw bad ki long ruh kiba phymai bha. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaĩn bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki pat ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaĩn bad ba lyngkot. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki trysim, kiba eh, ba khlaĩn ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Phyllad ki long ki jaid mrad ba bam bun jaid ki jingbam. Ki bam ĩa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ĩa ki mrad khlaw ba rit, ĩa ki sim ki doh, ĩa ki pylleng sim, ki khun sim, ĩa ka umngap bad haba ki la thngan bha namar ba kim ĩoh jingbam, ki bam wat ĩa ka met ĩap jong ki mrad ruh. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ba tbit bha ban kiew dieng bad ba stet ban ĩaid thir thir ne ĩaid dar dar la halor dieng ne ha madan madiah ruh. Halor ki dieng, ki beh thong ĩa ki Risang bad ĩa ki sim ki doh ba har rukom. Ki pynjot ruh ĩa ki skum sim da kaba bam ĩa ki pylleng sim bad ĩa ki khun sim ruh kumjuh. Ha madan pat ki beh thong ĩa ki khnai ba bun jaid bad ĩa ki sim ba buh skum ha madan madiah. Ki long ki mrad kiba shlur bad ki ju pynĩap ĩa ki mrad ba kham heh ĩa ki kum ki khun skei bad ki khun khiat ruh.

Ki Phyllad ki long ruh ki mrad kiba stad bha ban khlong umngap napoh ki sympa ngap ba don hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Dei u Phyllad shynrang ba khlong ĩa ka umngap bad ai ĩa ka ha ka kynthei ban nangbat. Dei ha ka por ba ki dang ĩa bun kam kumne, ba ki briew ki ju ĩoh ban pduh pynĩap ĩa ki da u dieng bad ki sa ĩoh ĩa ki Phyllad bad ĩa ka umngap de. Ki Phyllad ki long ruh ki mrad kiba ju kjit ĩa ka umthiang ba don ha ki katto katne jaid ki syntiew ki skud.

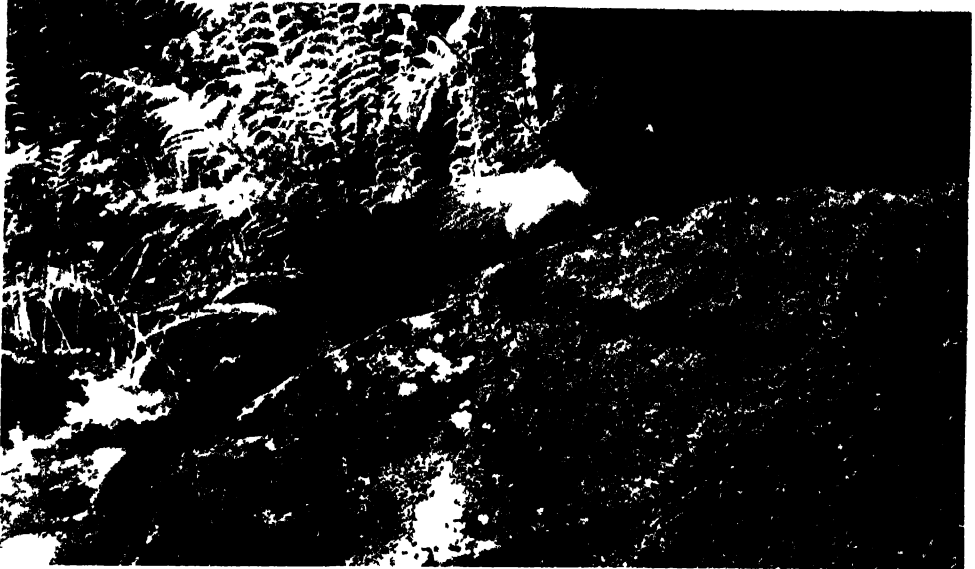
Ki Phyllad ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Ksar. Ha ka aĩom shongkha la ju ĩohi ba ki leit wad jingbam ryngkat u Phyllad bad ka Phyllad. Ka kmie bad u khun ne ka khun ba la khlaĩn bha ruh ki ju ĩa leit wad jingbam ryngkat. Mar ĩa kut ka por shongkha bad ka por ri khun pat, ki Phyllad ki ju leit wad jingbam marwei marwei. Ki ju kha khun hapteng iwei bad saw tylli ha u bnai ĩaĩong. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliew ba don ha trai jong ki diengbah ne ha ki thiew ba don bad ki phlang ba jrong ba ker ĩa kita ki thliew. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh shi snem.

ĩa ki Phyllad la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ki jingmyntoi bad ki jingpyndonkam ba ngi ĩoh na ki Phyllad:**

Namar ba ki Phyllad ki bam bha ĩa ki Khnai ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khanglad ba ki Khnai kin nym ĩoh ban roi sha kaba palat than eh. Namar ba ki Phyllad ki bam

bha ruh ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban pynsaphriang ia ka jungmih ki sohkhlaw ba bun jaid hapoh ki khlaw ki btap Ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ia ka doh Phyllad Sha ki ri Sepngi, ia u shñiuh (*Fur*) jong ki Phyllad ki kheĩñkor bha ia u bad kumta u long uba rem dor bha La ju suh ia u shñiuh uba jem ñiup ñiup bad ba ni jong ki Phyllad ha ryndang jong ki *jacket*, ki sopti lor ne ki *Coat*



Ki Phyllad (*Yellow throated Marten*) ki don mynta ha ka jingsyier ka jingduhjaid ha Jylla Meghalaya  
(Image Source [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Yellow\\_throated\\_Marten.jpg](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Yellow_throated_Marten.jpg))

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### KI SYLLIH

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ruh ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Syllieh hi hynrei, don ruh kiba khot ia ki, ki Pader Sneih namar ha ka por ba ki pynnoh ialade nalar ki diengbah sha trai jong kiwei pat ki dieng, ki pynpyiar ia ka snieh jong ki kaba long kum ki thapbniang. Sha thaiñ Amkoi bad Nongbareh ki khot ia ki, ki Jalyngkhiang. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Matwon lane Bakwar. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Flying Squirrels*.

Ki Syllih ki don ar jaid - ki jaid heh bad ki jaid rit. Ia ki jaid rit, sha thaiñ Khadar Shnong ki khot ia ki, ki Lyngkhiang. Ki Syllih ki don ka jingiasyriem kaba jan bha ha ka dur ka dar bad ki Risang, dei na ka ne ka daw ba ki Phareng ki sa khot ia ki, ki *Flying squirrels*.

Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki Syllih jaid heh ka jrong shi phut shiteng. Katba u tdong jong ki pat u jrong haduh ar phut. Ki Syllih jaid rit pat ki jrong hapteng 10 inshi bad shi phut. U tdong jong ki ruh, u kham jrong ban ia ki met jong ki.

Ia ka met jong ki Syllih jaid heh la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw bthuh ka rong. Hynrei, don ruh kiba lam byrlieh bthuh bad lam byriong de ha ki katto katne ki bynta ka met jong ki ia kiba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Particoloured Flying Squirrels* ia kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, ha *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad shawei de. Ka bynta ba shapoh ka met jong ki ka long lam byrlieh. Ia ka met jong ki Syllih jait rit pat la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong bthuh ka rong. Hynrei, don ruh kiba long lam rong dpei bad kiba lam bthuh saw ka rong ruh.

Ka khlieh jong ki Syllih ka long kum ka khlieh Risang. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng bad lam pyllun. Ki Khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad ki heh kat ki khmat Risang. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba ñiar. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. U tdong jong ki u long uba jrong bad ba symphum shñiuh, ba lam stang bad lam lyngkniap de. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ha ka por ba ki Syllih ki pynnoh ialade kumba her nalar ki dieng kiba jrong, ha kata ka por ki pynpyiar ia ka snieh ba stang jong ki, kaba long kum ki thapbniang. Ha kane ka por ki kjat jong ki baroh sawtylli ki paw bha, bad lah ruh ban iohi ba ia ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli la pyniasoh ia ki, da kata ka snieh ba stang kaba long kum ki thapbniang. Ha ka por ba ki dem, kane ka snieh ba long kum ki thapbniang ka kli bad lah ban iohi katto katne ka bynta jong ka kpoh jong ki. Ka jingpynnoh jong ki nalar jong ki dieng ba jrong sha trai jong kiwei pat ki dieng ruh, ka long kaba sted bha. Hynrei hashwa ba kin dem ki pynkhih khyrwait ia ka met jong ki shalor, khnang ba kan pynsuki ia ka jingsted jong kata ka jingpynnoh jong ki, bad kumta ki sa lah ban dem suki halor ka met jong u dieng ne ha ka tnad dieng ba kham sha trai. Nangta ki sa kiew sted sha kliar jong uta u dieng. Hynrei, kim lah ban her kumba her ki sim, ki Lamadur bad ki Lymbit.

U Bah Rin Lamin ba na ka shnong Amkoi, u la iathuh ba ki Syllih ki long ki mrad kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Ha ka por sngi ki thiah hapoh ki thliew dieng, da kaba kli mlon ia ka met jong ki. Ki bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki sla dieng ba lung, ki shylluid jong ki syntiew, ia ki khñiang, ia ki khun ki khñiang bad ia ka snep jong ki katto katne ki jaid dieng. Ki ju wad jingbam barabor halor jong ki dieng hynrei, teng khat ki ju hiar sha khyndew ban wad jingbam.



Teng teng haba ki bam ia ki shyieng jong ki soh kiba eh, ju mih ka jingsawa kaba jam kaba riew khrud-khrud-khrud, ia kaba lah ban iohsngew na ka jaka ba kham pajih ruh.

Ki Syllih ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Risang. Ki jaid heh ki ju kha khun hapdeng 2 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki jaid rit pat barabor ki ju kha khun 2 tylli. Baroh ar jaid ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw dieng. Sha thaiñ Amkoi bad Nongbareh ki ju kha khun ha ka por Tlang. Hynrei, don ruh kiba kha khun hapdeng u Lber bad u Iaiñong.

Ka jingpah jong ki Syllih ka long kaba sngewngiew bad ba sawa jam bha, ia kaba lah ban iohsngew kham na jngai. Ki ju pah ha ka por miet por synñia bad ha ka por shwa ban kynjat shai. Ki Jaintia ki ngeit ba lada ka Syllih ka pah hapoh shnong poh thaw, te yn sa iap briew hapoh kata ka shnong. Une u Nongthoh u la iohsngew bunsien ba pah ka Syllih hapoh ka khlaw ba ki khot, ka 'Khloo Moolikso' kaba don hapoh ka shnong Jowai, bad ha man ba ka pah la doñ beit ka jingiap briew hapoh ka shnong Jowai.

Ia ki Syllih la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya. U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh ba ia ki jaid Syllih ba heh la lap ba ki don kham bun hapoh kine ki khlaw jong ka Garo Hills, kum ha ka khlaw Narpuh, *Nokrek Range*, *Bulpakram Range*, *Arbella Range* bad sha kiwei pat ki jaka. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kawei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

**Ka jingmyntoi bad ka jingpyndonkam ba ngi ioh na ki Syllih:**

Kiba bun ki riwlum ki bam ia ka doh Syllih, bad ka doh jong ki, ka long ruh kaba bang bha ban bam.

Don ki briew hadien ba ki la siat ia ka Syllih, ki khoh ne puid ia ka snieh jong ka. Ki sa thad pynrkhiang bha ia ka ha ka sngi, bad ki sa kyllan dawai dashin ruh ia ka khnang ba kan nym pyut bad ba u shñiuh ruh un nym hap. Ki sa pyndap ia ka da u skum, khnang ba kan dup at bad long kumba ka dang im. Ki sa suh da u ksai khnang ba u skum un nym hap. Ha ka jaka ki khmat, ki ju buh da ki marbul. Nangta ki sa wah rong ia ka ban pynitynnad ha la iing la sem.

Ki Syllih ki bam bha ia ki khñiang, ki ñianglong bad ki khun jong ki khñiang. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khang lad ba ki khñiang, kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than.

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### KI SHARYNTIN

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Shyrtin. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Mat'Gonget. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Himalayan Weasels*.

Ki Sharyntin ki long ki mrad kiba rit ka khlich jong ki; ka long kaba rit bad ba lam lyngknep malu mala. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot bad ba lam pyllun. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba rit bad ba phymai bha. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, ba khlaiñ bad ba ksah bha, ha kliar jong ka shympriahkjat jong ki na ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. U ryndang jong ki u long uba jrong jwaiñ. Ka met jong ki ruh ka long kaba jrong bad lam tylli. Ia ka bynta ba nalar ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem bñuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ka shyntur jong ki bad ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Ia u tdong jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem bñuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba narud ki khmat jong ki pat la sop da u shñiuh ba ñong ka rong. Ki don ruh ki Sharyntin kiba ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long rong дума, ha saw lam byrñong btuh de. Ki long ruh ki jait mrad ba ju pynmih ia ka kynja um kaba sma iwtung bha.

Ki Sharyntin haba ki la san pura bha ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng shi phut bad shi phut tam. U tdong jong ki pat u jrong tang hynriew inshi. Ki long ki jaid mrad kiba khlaiñ bad ba sted bha ban ñaid. Ki bam bha ia ki khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki sim, ki pylleng sim, ia ki ñiangbshiah, ki ñiangblen, ki ñiangbliar, ki ñiangapiing bad ia kiba bun jaid ki khñiang ki puit. Lada ki shong ki sah hapoh ki khlaw ba don harud ki shnong, ki ju leit pynñap bad bam ia ki Syiar hapoh ki sem Syiar. Dei namar ba ki pynjulor bha ia ki Syiar ba ri ki briew, kumta ki briew ki pynñap ia ki bad mynta ki la don ha ka jingma ba ki lah ban duh jaid noh. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por mynmiet mynñong.

Ki Sharyntin ki ju shong ju sah hapoh jong ki thliw ba don ha trai jong ki dieng ne hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki mñaw. Ki Sharyntin kynthei ki ju kha khun hapdeng saw tylli bad hynñiew tylli shisien kha. Ka kmie ka long ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongbsa nongñjah bad nongpynheh pynsan ia la ki khun, namar ki Sharyntin shynrang tang shu kut ka añom shongkha ki leit noh la ka lynti.

Ka jingsma ba iwtung ba ki pynmih na ka met ka jong ki, ka ñarap ban ñada ia ki na ki mrad ba mut ban pynñap bad bam ia ki.

Ia ki Sharyntin la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Sharyntin.**

Namar ba ki Sharyntin ki long ki mrad ba bam bha ia ki khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki ñiangbshiah, ki ñiangblen, ñiangbliar, ki ñiangapiing bad ia ki khñiang ki puit ba bun jaid har rukom, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ba ki khnai babun jaid, ki ñiangbshiah, ki ñiangblen, ñiangbliar, ki ñiangapiing bad ki khñiang ki puit ba har rukom ba ki nym ñoh lad ban roi sha kaba palat tam eh.

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### KI RISANG

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Risang hi. Sha thaĩ Nongbareh bad Amkoi ki khot ĩa ki, ki Sharang. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki llei. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Mat. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Squirrels*.

Ki Risang ki long kiba bun jaid - ki don kiba heh, kiba shu pdeng ka jingheh, kiba kham rit bad kiba rit tam. Kumba ki ĩapher ha ka jingheh jingrit jong ki, kumta ruh ka rong ka rup jong u shñiuh ba sop ĩa ka met jong ki ruh ka ĩapher. Ki don kiba lam byriong, bad ki don ruh kiba thoh kum u laiñ ter ter halor ka met jong ki, ba da ka rong stem, rong lam byriong bad ba jngum lam byrsaw de. Ki don ki jaid Risang kiba im halor jong ki dieng, bad don pat kiba im halor khyndew.

#### 30.1 Ki Khmud.

Ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba heh tam, ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Risang Tyrso. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Gredong. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ĩa ki, kum ki *Giant Squirrels*. Ki heh kat ki Miaw ba ki briew ki ri ha ki ĩing ki sem jong ki. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki, ka lah ban jrong haduh 3 phut. Ki im hapoh ki lawbah lawsan bad ki khlaw kiba heh, ha ki jaka ba don ki soh khlaw, ba kin ĩoh ban bam.

Ĩa ka met jong ki Khmud, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba ĩong lam byrlich bñuh malu mala. ĩa u ryndang, ka shadem bad ka kpoh jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Napdeng ka khlieh haduh shwa ban poi ka khmut jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba long kumba pruid dak, da ka rong ba lam byrsaw. ĩa ka bynta ba lait jong ka khlieh, bad ĩa ki ngap jong ki. la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. ĩa ki shkor jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw ka rong. ĩa ki kjat jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong saw ka rong. ĩa u tdong ba jrong, ba heh bad ba symphum shñiuh jong ki, kumba lai bynta naduh trai jong u tdong, la sop ĩa u da u shñiuh ba lam byriong ka rong. Katba ĩa ka bynta ba ha kliar jong u tdong pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba lam saw byrtem ka rong. Hynrei, ki Khmud kiba don sha Garo hills ki don ka jingĩapher ka rong malu mala bad kiba don ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills.

Ka khlieh jong ki Khmud ka long kaba heh, ki shkor jong ki ruh ki kham heh ban ĩa ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Risang bad ki long ruh kiba ĩeng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad ba stem. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long ka bym nep, kumba nep ka shyntur jong ki Risang khyndew. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih katto katne tylli ki tmaiñ. Ki mih ar tylli ki bñiat na ka bynta ba nalog, bad ar tylli na ka bynta ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Hynrei, ki bñiat jong ki, ki long pat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha bad ki lah ban mareh sted halor jong ki dieng. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki im halor jong ki diengbah kiba jrong bha, bad kham ĩiar ba kin hiar sha khyndew. Ki long ruh kiba khlaiñ ban kynthih ne rñysied, nalog uwei u dieng sha uwei pat, bad ki lah ban kynthih hapdeng 18 phut haduh 20 phut. Ka jingpah jong ki, ka long kaba sawa jam bha, kaba long khuk-khuk-khuk-khak-khak. Barabor ki ju ĩaid shijur hynrei la ju ĩohi ruh ba ki ĩaid marwei ruh.

Ki Khmud ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Khnai. Ki kha khun hapoh ki skum, ba ki shna halor ki dieng kiba jrong, ha ki bynta ba kham sha kliar jong u dieng ha khap jong ki tñad ba rit, khnang ba ki mrad ba mut ban wan bam ĩa ki, kin nym lait ban kiew sha ka jaka ba don ka skum jong ki. ĩa ka

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skum ki shna da ki sla jong ki dieng. Ka skum jong ki ka long kaba heh bha. Lada phi leit shapoh ki khlaw kiba heh, ha ka por tlang ynda ki sla dieng ki la tlör, te da kaba suk lah ban iöhi ia ki skum jong ki. Ki ju kha khun ha u Jymmang hapteng 2 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki long ruh ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

### 30.2 Ki Khmud Ÿong.

Ki dei ki jaid Risang, ia kiba la tip ha ka ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Phaidong. Ki Garo, ia kine ruh ki khot ki Gredong Gisim. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Malay Giant Squirrels*. Kine ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba heh bah.

Ki Khmud Ÿong haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlich bad ka met jong ki, ka jröng hapteng shi phut tam bad ar phut duna. U tdong ba jröng bad ba saphum shñiuh jong ki, u kham jröng khyndiat ban ia ka khlich bad ka met jong ki, bad u jröng ar phut. Ia ka met jong ki, ki kjat bad ia u tdong jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba Ÿong tlem phymai. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, kaba kynthup ia ka shadem bad ka kpoh pat, la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong.

Ka khlich jong ki, ka heh kat ka khlich jong ki Khmud, ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Risang Tyrso. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ieng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki kam long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli nalör bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba nep bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khmud Ÿong ki im hapoh ki khlaw kiba heh. Barabor ki ju don sha ki bynta ba kham shajrong jong ki diengbah. Ka long ruh kaba kham ñiar ba kin hiar sha khyndew. Ki long kiba khlaiñ ka bor met, kumta ki iaid na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat da kaba rypsied ne ryngkoh. Ki long ruh kiba khlaiñ ban rypsied bad ki lah ban rypsied ha ka jingjingai kaba hapteng 18 phut bad 20 phut. Ha ka por ba ki rypsied, ki ju pynpyiar ia la ki kjat, khnang ba kin dup iöh ban snoh ne bat ha ki tnad jong uta u dieng sha uba ki ryngkoh. Ka por wad jingbam jong ki ka long dang step phyrngap bad ha ka por janmiet, hashwa ba ka sngi kan sep noh. Ha ka por sngi, bunsien, ki ju thiah ne shongthait hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna hi. Ki skum ba ki shna ki long kiba heh bad ba pyllun, ba da ki sla dieng. Ki shna ia ki skum jong ki ruh ha ki bynta ba kham sha kliar jong ki diengbah, ha ki tnad jong ki dieng ba kham rit, khnang ba ki mrad ba kham heh kiba mut ban wan bam ia ki, kin nym lah ban kiew sha ka skum jong ki.

Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ba tieng briew bha. Kumta, kham shitom ban iöhi ia ki, lada ki iöhi shwa ma ki ia u briew. Hynrei, haba kim iöhi shwa ma ki ia u briew, te lah ban peitkai bad ban siat ruh ia ki. Ki ju pynmih ruh ia ka jingpah kaba sawa jam bha, kaba long kumba khoh-khoh-khak-khak. Haba ki sheptieng, kim ju kham phet krad kynsan. Hynrei, ki rieh hadien jong ki tnad dieng kiba heh. Bad suki suki ki hiar da dien na ujuh u tnad dieng, bad ki sa ryngkoh sha uwei pat u dieng ba don hajan hangta. Nangta ki sa rypsied pat, sha kiwei ki dieng khnang ba kin lait na ka jingma.

Ki Khmud Ÿong ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum ba la shna hi, hapteng 2 tylli bad 3 tylli, ha u Lber bad u ŸaŸong. Hynrei, don ruh ki jaid ba kha slem, kiba kha khun ha u Jymmang.

U Dr. J.S. Lister, uba ju long mynshwa u *District Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Officer*, jong ka Jaintia Hills District u la iathuh ba u la iohi hapoh ka *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, ia ki jaid Risang ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng, ki *Hoary-bellied Himalayan Squirrels*, bad ia ki *Orange bellied Himalayan Squirrels*. U la iathuh ruh, ba dei ba u la iohi ia kitei ki jaid Risang bunsien, ha ka por ba u dang trei ha *N.E.F.A.* ia kaba la tip mynta kum ka Jylla Arunachal Pradesh, te kumta ha ka por ba u leit peitkai ia ki mrad ba don hapoh *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, te u la lah da kaba suk ban ithuh ia kita ki Risang.

### 30.3 Ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh (*Hoary-bellied Himalayan squirrels*)

Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 8 inshi tam. U tdong bajrong jong ki, u kham jrong ban ia ka met bad ka khlieh jong ki khyndiat. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kum ka khlieh jong kiba bun ki jaid Risang. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ieng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki kam long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Ki don saw tylli ki bnait, ar tylli nalar bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bnait jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki ruh, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkijat, ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkijat jong ki pat, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh, ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byriong ka rong. Ki long ki mrad kiba im hapoh ki khlaw kiba rben, kiba don hajan ki shnong ki thaw. Ki bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid hynrei, ha ka por ba duna jingbam, ki ju leit bam bad pynjutor ia ki sohñiamtra bad ia kiwei kiwei ki jaid soh kiba don hapoh ki brisoh. Wat la ki long ki jaid Risang ki bym da heh, hynrei ka jingpah jong ki, ka long kaba sawa jam bha. Ki long ruh ki jaid Risang, kiba shna la ki skum ba da u phlang bad da ki tnad dieng barit halor jong ki dieng kiba jrong bad ki shong ki sah hapoh kita ki skum

Ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh, ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapdeng 2 tylli bad 3 tylli hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna hi.

### 30.4 Ki Risang ba long kum ka rong Sohñiamtra ka kpoh (*Orange-bellied Himalayan squirrels*)

Ki long ki jaid Risang kiba heh kat ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long saw briang ka rong. Ka bynta napoh ka met jong ki, kaba kynthup ia ka kpoh, ka long kaba saw kum ka rong u sohñiamtra. Dei na kane ka daw ba la tip ia ki, ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Orange-bellied Himalayan Squirrels*. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 8 inshi tam, u tdong ba saphum shñiuh jong ki u kham jrong khyndiat, ban ia ka khieh bad ka met jong ki.

Ki Risang ba long kum ka rong sohñiamtra ka kpoh, ka khlieh jong ki, ka heh kat ka khlieh jong ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ieng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki, ka long kaba kham nep ban ia ka shyntur jong ki Risang ba byrlieh bthuh ka kpoh. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Ki don saw tylli ki bnait, ar tylli nalar bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bnait jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlañ. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkijat

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ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlain, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Risang ba long kum ka rong sohñiamtra ka kpoh, ki long ki jaid Risang ki bym ju shna skum, kumba shna kiwei pat ki jaid Risang. Kine barabor ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliw jong ki dieng. Ki mih napoh ki thliw dieng bad ki hiar sha madan ban bam ña ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, kiba la hap sha khyndew. Napdeng ki jaid Risang baroh, kine ki long kiba kham jar jar. Hynrei, teng teng ki ju pynmih ña ka jingpah kaba sawa jam, bad kaba ñasyriem kumba kynkruk ka 'iar kynthei.

Ki Risang ba long kum ka rong sohñiamtra ka kpoh, ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh, hapdeng 2 tylli bad 3 tylli hapoh ki thliw jong ki dieng.

### 30.5 Ki Risang ha Garo Hills.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthohh, ba ha Garo Hills don bun jaid ki Risang. ña ki jaid ba rit tam, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw ba don ki lum ba ñasoh ter ter, ña kiba ki khot ki *Tura Range* bad ki *Nokrek Range*. Kine ki long ki jaid Risang kiba heh tang kat ki khnai. Ki don ka jingthoh ba long ter ter ha u shñiuh. La sop ña ka met jong ki da ka rong stem, rong ñong, rong bthuh bad ba jngem lam byrsaw de. Ki long ruh kiba lah ban ñaid sted bha, la halor madan ne halor jong ki dieng ruh.

Kiba ar pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang ña kiba lah ban shem kylleng kylleng, kiba bam bha ña k1 soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad kiba shna ña ki skum kiba heh, da ki sla jong ki dieng, halor jong ki tñad dieng jong ki dieng kiba heh bad ba jrong. Ki skum jong ki, ki heh kat ka bol snieh, ña kaba, kiba la san ki ju pyndonkam ha ka por ba ki ñalehka1 phutbol. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh kine ki skum, hynrei kim ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw dieng.

Kiba lai pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang, kiba ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep bha, kiba barabor ki ju ña ñaid shijur ban wad jingbam halor khyndew. Kine ki long ruh ki jaid Risang kiba shong ba sah hapoh ki thliw ki krem, kiba don hapoh ka khyndew bad ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh kita ki thliw ki krem.

Kiba saw pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba ña syriem bha ha ka dur ka dar bad ki Risang kiba lai. Ka khmut jong ki ruh ka long kaba nep bha. Hynrei, kine pat ki jaid Risang, ki long kiba shong ba sah halor jong ki dieng, bad la ñohi ba ki ju bud bha ña ka kynthun jong ki sim.

Kiba san pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba heh kum ki Risang ña kiba lah ban shem kylleng. Ki long kiba kham ñong ka rong, bad u tdong jong ki, u long uba jrong bad ba saphum shñiuh. Hynrei, ki long pat ki jaid Risang kiba pynjutor bha ña ki sohñiamtra, ki sohbah bad kiwei kiwei de ki jaid soh hapoh ki brisoh.

Kiba hynriew pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba ki Garo ki khot ña ki ki Gredong. Kine ki long ki jaid Risang, kiba heh tam ña kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh Garo Hills. Kine ki jaid Risang ki heh kat ki Miaw, ba ki briew ki ju ri ha la ki ñing ki sem jong ki. Ki don ka jingthoh dak kaba long ter ter ha u shñiuh ba sop ña ka met jong ki. ña u ryndang jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba ñong bad ba bthuh ka rong. ña ka shadem bad ka kpoh jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong, katba ña u tdong ba jrong bad ba saphum jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrñong bthuh ka rong. La lap ba kine ki jaid Risang, ki im hapoh ki khlaw kiba heh, ha ki jaka ba kham pyngngad bad ba don bun jaid ki

sohkhlaw ba kin ioh ban bam. Ka jingrong jong ki haba ki la san pura bha, kaba kynthup lang ia ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki, ka long kumba 3 phut.

### 30.6 Ki Risang ha Nongbareh-Amkoi.

U Bah Rin Lamin pat, u la iathuh ba sha thain Nongbareh bad Amkoi, don lai jaid ki Risang. Kiba nyingkong ki dei ki Risang Krem. Kine ki jaid Risang, ki long kiba shong ba sah hapoh ki thliw ki krem, kiba don hapoh khyndew. Ki long ruh ki jaid Risang, kiba mlien ban wad jingbam halor khyndew. Hynrei, ki long pat kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Haba kim kdang ne dap bam na ka jingbam ba ki ioh halor khyndew, ki bam ia ki kaut, ki soh jri, ki sohphan, ki sohñiamtra bad kiba kum kita ki jaid soh.

Ia ka met jong ki la sop ia ka, da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw ka rong. Ia ka kpoh jong ki pat la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba long lam byrtem ka rong. Ia u tdong ba jrong jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba saphum ba da ka rong ba lam byrlieh iong

Haba ki la san pura bha, ki Risang krem ne ki Risang khyndew, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba ieng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka heh kum ka khlieh kiba bun ki Risang. Hynrei, ka shyntur jong ki pat, ka long kaba nep bha. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih katto katne tylli ki tmaiñ. Ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli nalar bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkjat, ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har.

Ki Risang krem ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ha u 'Nai Jymmang hapdeng 3 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw ki krem ba don hapoh khyndew.

Kiba ar pat, ki dei ki Risang Dieng. Kine ki jaid Risang ki long kiba shong ba sah halor jong ki dieng. Ia ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba bthuh lam byrsaw ka rong. Ki shna ruh ia ki skum kiba heh, ba da ki sla jong ki dieng halor ki tnad dieng jong ki dieng kiba jrong. Ki shong ki sah ruh hapoh jong kine ki skum ba ki la shna hi.

Ki Risang dieng haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong shi phut tam. U tdong ba saphum shñiuh jong ki, u jrong shi phut. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad kiba ieng. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki long kiba pyllun. Ka khlieh jong ki ka heh kat ka khlieh jong ki Risang Krem. Ka shyntur jong ki ruh, ka long kaba nep kum ka shyntur ki Risang Krem. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih khyndiat ki tmaiñ. Kine ruh ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli nalar bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba khlaiñ, ba eh, bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki ruh, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ki long ruh ki jaid Risang kiba wad jingbam halor dieng. Kham ñiar ba kin hiar sha madan. Ki lah ruh ban ryngkoh ne rypsied nalar uwei u dieng sha uwei pat. Ki im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Hynrei, ha ka por ba duna jingbam, ki ju pynjutor ia ki sohñiamtra bad ia kiwei kiwei ki jaid soh ha ki brisoh.

Ki Risang Dieng ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ha u Jymmang, hapdeng 3 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna hi.

Kiba lai pat, ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba ki khot ki Jasia. Kine ki long ruh ki jaid Risang kiba heh tam ia kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ki thain Nongbareh bad Amkoi. Ia ka met jong ki la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba ñong ka rong. Ia ka kpoh jong ki pat, la sop da u shñiuh ba saw briang. Kine ruh ki long ki jaid Risang kiba shna ia ki skum kiba heh bha, kiba da ki sla jong ki dieng, halor ki tnad jong ki dieng kiba heh bha, halor ki tnad jong ki dieng kiba jrong. Ki shong ki sah hapoh kine ki skum. Ki wad jingbam ruh halor jong ki dieng bad ki im ruh da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Kim ju kham hiar sha khyndew. Ki long kiba khlaiñ ban ryngkoh ne rynsied na uwei u dieng sha uwei pat.

Ki Risang Jasia, haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong 2 phut. U tdong ba saphum shñiuh jong ki, u jrong shi phut. Ki shkor jong ki, ki kham heh khyndiat ia ki shkor jong ki Risang krem, bad ki long kiba ñeng. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki kam da nep kum ka shyntur jong ki Risang Krem. Kine ruh ki don bniat saw tylli, ar tylli nalar bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, kiba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkjat, ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Risang Jasia ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Khnai. Ki ju kha khun ha u Jymmang, hapdeng 2 tylli bad 4 tylli. Ki kha khun ruh, hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna hi.

U Bah Kna Lyngdoh, ia uba ki ju khot sin ia u, u Bibi, ba na ka shnong Phlongingkhaw u la ñathuh ba u la ñohi da la ki jong ki khmat, shisien, ia ka jingñaleh hapdeng saw tylli ki Risang bad uwei u Bseiñ uba heh shi kli shylliah, ha ka Pynthor Sung. Ka jingñaleh ka la long kaba slem bha. Ki Risang ki ñaleh ban pynmatlah ia u Bseiñ da kaba khlong da ki tyrsim ba nep jong ki ia ki khmat u Bseiñ. Don kiba kiew nalar ka met, don pat kiba ñaid narum ka met jong u Bseiñ bad ki ñaleh ban ñoh ban khlong ia ki khmat jong uta u Bseiñ da ki tyrsim jong ki. Ha ka por ba ki ñaleh ki Risang, kim nud ban tur markhmat pyrsah ia u Bseiñ, namarba ki sheptieng ba ñoh kin shah nguid ha u Bseiñ. Kumta, ki ñaleh da kaba phikir bha, ban ñoh ban trud ia ki khmat jong uta u Bseiñ. Haba u Bseiñ u mut ban phai sha kamon, khnang ban ñoh nguid ia uta u Risang ba trud ia ka khmat kamon jong u Bseiñ, ki Risang kiba don na ka liang kadiang bad kiba don nalar ka met jong u Bseiñ, ki ñaleh ban trud ia ka khmat kadiang. Haba u Bseiñ u mut ban phai sha ka liang kadiang, ki Risang ba don sha ka liang kamon ki ñaleh ban trud ia ka khmat ka mon jong u Bseiñ. Ki ñai ñaleh kumne shi kumne haduh ba uta u Bsein u la matlah syndon. Ki Risang ruh tang shu ñohi ba u Bseiñ u la matlah ki ia mareh pynsted bad phet noh na kata ka jaka. Uta u Bseiñ ruh ha ka jingdom jingshla kaba jur namarba um lah shuh ban ñohi, kumta u la syllad kulmar, kat ia kiba don hangta hajan jong u, da u tdong ba jrong bad ba khlaiñ jong u. Hynrei, ha ka jingsyllad kulmar jong uta u Bseiñ, la dei tang sha ki maw heh kiba don ha kata ka jaka bad khadduh uta u Bseiñ u sa ñap noh. Hadien katto katne sngi, ka la mih ka jingiw tung kaba jur bha na ka met ñap ba la sdang pyut jong uta u Bseiñ. Kane ka la jia harud kawei ka thliew kaba heh bha kaba don hajan ka lyngkha kaba u Bah Kna Lyngdong u rep hapoh ka Pynthor Sung.

Shisien, katba ngi dang ia dih sha ha ñing jong u Rangbah Shnong Saphoh, ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang leit *tour* sha shnong Saphoh, ha ka kamra pdeng jong ka ñing jong uta u Rangbah Shnong, la wah ban pynitynnad ia ki ar tylli ki snieh Risang, ba la pyndap da u skum bad ba la suh da u ksai, khnang ba u skum un nym hap bad ba kin at kumba ki long ha ka por ba ki dang im. Ha ki jaka ki khmat ki la buh da ki *marble*. U Bah Kriwan Kharsati, ba na ka shnong Saphoh hi, u la ong, “Nga hi marwei ngam ju pynñap ia kine ki mrad (Risang) namar ki ju ñaleh bad pynñap ruh ia ki Bseiñ”.



### 30.7 Ki Risang Kdait.

Ki dei ki jaid Risang kiba rit eh, ia kiba ki Jaintia ki khot ia ki ki Risang Sangia. Sha thaifi Mynso ki khot ia ki ki Risang Waliar. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba thoh rong ter ter kum u laiñ, ba da ka rong stem, ba ñong, ba bthuh bad ba lam jngem saw de. Ki long ruh kiba lah ban faid ne par sted bha halor madan bad halor jong ki dieng ruh. Ka rukom im bad rukom bam jong ki ruh ka long kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Risang. Kiba kham heh ia kine ki dei ki Risang ba lam byrñong bthuh ka rong. Kine ki long kiba wad jingbam halor khyndew bad ki long ruh kiba tbit ban kiew dieng. Ka rukom im bad ka rukom bam jong ki ruh ka long kum kiwei pat ki jaid Risang.

U Bah Julius L.R. Marak, u la iathuh ba hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, don ki jaid Risang ia kiba ki Garo ki khot, ki Mat-Deng-Deng. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Five Striped Palm Squirrels*. Kine ki long ki jaid Risang kiba rit. Haha ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong tang hapdeng 5 inshi bad 6 inshi. Katba u tdong ba saphum shñiuh jong ki pat, u kham jrong khyndiat ban ia ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki. Kine ki jaid Risang ki kham jyilei sha ri Dkhar, bad lah ban lap ia ki wat hapoh ki shnong ki thaw ruh.

Ia ka met jong ki Mat-Deng-Deng ne ki Risang ba don ka jingthoh ba kum u laiñ san tylli halor ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lyngkot, ba jem bad ba khah bha. Narud ka met, najan ki krung, mih ki jingthoh ba long ter ter ba kum u laiñ, ba da ka rong lieh bad rong lam byrñong. Napdeng ka met la sop da u shñiuh ba long rong bthuh. Ka bynta ba napoh ka met ka long kaba lam byrñong ka rong. Katba ki kjat bad ki lbong jong ki pat, ki long kiba lam bthuh ka rong.

Ka khlieh jong ki Risang ba don jingthoh ba kum u laiñ san tylli halor ka met jong ki ka long kaba rit. Ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit, ba lam pyllun bad ba ñeng. Ki Khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Ki don saw tylli ki bñiat, ar tylli nalor bad ar tylli narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat ki long kiba rit hynrei, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bad ki lah ban ñaid sted bha, halor madan ne halor jong ki dieng ruh. Ki don saw tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki pat, mih ki tyrsim kiba rit, hynrei, ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki im da kaba bam ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

Ki Risang ba don jingthoh ba kum u laiñ san tylli halor ka met jong ki, ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Khnai. Hashwa ba kin ñoh khun, ki ju shna ia ki skum kiba malu mala, ba da u phlang bad ki sla dieng, halor jong ki tñad dieng. Ki ju kha khun hapoh kine ki skum, hapdeng 2 tylli bad 3 tylli.

Ia ki Risang ba bun jaid la lap ba ki don, ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kylleng ka pyrthei.

#### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Risang.

Na ki Risang, ki bñiew ki ñoh ban bam ia ka doh ba bang jong ki. Ia ka snieh jong ki Risang, ki bñiew ki ju pyndap ia ka da u skum bad ki sa suh ia ka khnang ba u skum un ym hap bad ka snieh pat kan at bad i kumba ki dang im. Ha ka jaka ki khmat, ki buh da ki marbul bad ki sa wah pynitynnad ia ki ha ki kamra shongkai jong ka ñing ka sem jong ki.

Ki Risang wat la ki long kiba pynjulor ia ki soh ba don hapoh ki brisoh, hynrei, namarba ki ñaleh bad pynñap ruh ia ki Bseñ naduh kiba rit haduh kiba heh bha, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki Bseñ kin nym ñoh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Rai. Sha thaĩn Amkoi jong ka War Jaintia, la tip ĩa ki kum ki Rui. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Thlumpui. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Matchuri lane ki Matchru. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Civets*. Ki Kui ki don bun jaid bad kine harum ki long ki jaid Kui ĩa kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya.

### 31.1 Ki Kui Heh.

Ki dei ki jaid Kui ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Rai Kyrdep bad ki long ki jaid Kui kiba heh tam. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Thlumpui. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Matchuri Raja. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Large Indian Civets*.

Ki Kui Heh haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut bad 8 inshi bad 2 phut 10 inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut shiteng. Ka khlieh jong kĭ ka long kaba jrong. Kĭ shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor miaw. Kĭ khmat jong ki, ki heh kat kĭ khmat Miaw. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiĩ ba jrong, ba eh, ba jwat bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ bad ba nep har har. Ki kĭat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaiĩ, ba sngaid bad ba lyngkot. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kĭat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkĭat. Ha kliar jong ki shympriahkĭat jong kĭ, ha ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ, ba lam kdor bad bad ba nep. Kĭ lah ruh ban buhrieh ĩa la kĭ tyrsim hapoh ka snep kaba sop ĩa ki shympriahkĭat jong ki, kumba ki Miaw ruh kĭ lah ban buhrieh ĩa la kĭ tyrsim.

Ĩa ka met jong ki Kui Heh la sop ĩa ka da u shĩuih uba khah, ba jlih bad ba don ki jingthoh ĩong bthuh kiba rit ba rit. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, ha ka jaka ba mih ki tmaiĩ, don ka jingthoh rong lieh khyndiat. ĩa ka khmat jong ki la sop da u shĩuih ba bthuh ka rong, bad don ruh khyndiat u shĩuih ba ĩong na sharum ki khmat jong ki. Napoh u ryndang jong ki don ki jingthoh ba lieh ka rong; narud kine ki bynta ba thoh lieh, don ki jingthoh ĩong. Ka bynta ba nalog ki kĭat jong ki ka long kum ka met jong ki hi bad napoh ki kĭat jong ki, la sop da u shĩuih ba lam byrlieh bthuh ka rong. Mar shiteng ka met jong ki, ha ka jaka ba don u budlum ha ka bynta ba shadien jong ka met jong ki haduh shwa ban poi ha trai jong u tdong jong ki, mih u treng shĩuih uba ĩeng bad ba ĩong tlem ka rong. Dei ruh tang ha ki Kui Heh ba don une u treng. ĩa u tdong jong ki, la sop da u shĩuih uba rben bad ba don ki jingthoh ba pyllun pyllun kiba ĩong bad ba lieh ka rong kiba ĩashong markhap ne mar syndah, kawei hadien kawei pat. Tangba, ki jingthoh pyllun ba ĩong ki kham heh ban ĩa ki jingthoh pyllun ba lieh. Ka kliar u tdong bad u trai u tdong ki long kiba ĩong ka rong.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba ki Kui Heh ki lah ban pynmih ĩa ka jingsma tung kaba jur bha na u thied ba don ha ka 'liew eit jong ki. Kane ka jinglah jong ki ban pynmih ĩa kane ka jingsma tung kaba jur, ka ĩarap ĩa ki ban lait na kaba shah pynĩap ha ki mrad kiba kham heh, kiba mut ban bam ĩa ki.

Ki Kui Heh ki long ki jaid mrad kiba sngewtynnad ban ĩaid ban ĩeng bad ban im marwei. Dei tang ha ka por shongkha shongman ba la ju ĩohi ba ki ĩa ĩaid lang shijur shijur. Ki ĩapoikha ruh kumba ĩapoikha ki Miaw. Tang shu kut ka por shongkha shongman, ki Kui Heh shynrang ki im bad ĩaid la ka

jong ka lynti. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam ne lai bnai ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun hapteng u bnai Jymmang bad u Jylliew, hapoh ki thliw dieng ne hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki kha khun ruh hapteng lai bad saw tylli. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh shisnem. Dei ruh ka Kui Heh kynthei kaba ri ba sumar, ba bsa ba pjiah bad ba pynbeh pynsan ia la ki khun. Ki Kui Heh shynrang kim don jingkitkhlich ei ei ruh shaphang la ki khun, mar ia dep shongkha ka jingkitkhlich jong ki ruh ka la kut. Haba ki khun ki la san bad ki la khlaif bha, ka kmie ka ju ialam lang ia ki ban leit wad jingbam. Dei ruh ha kane ka por ba ki khun ki tip ban jied kino ki jaid mrad, ki jaid khñiang, ki jaid shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad ki jaid soh ba bit ban bam. Ynda ki khun ki la sngewthuh ba ki la lah ban im marwei, ki sa mih noh ban im bad iaïd la ka jong ka lynti.

Ki Kui Heh ki juh ban shong ban sah hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Mynsngi ki thiah hapoh ki 'lawbniap, ba don ki dieng ba khah bha bad ba lyngkot phymgop. Ha ka por miet pat, ki mih ban leit wad jingbam. Ki long ki mrad kiba bam naphang. Ki ham ia ki mrad ba rit bad ia ki sim; ki bam wat ia ki bseiñ, ki khnai ba bun jaid, ki jakoid, ki tham, ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom, ki shylluit jong ki jingthung jingtep kiba mih ha ka mariang bad ia ki soh ba bun jaid. U Bah Bniach Lathong u la iathuh ba ki bam bha ia ki sohrun, kumta ki long kiba pynjot bad ba pynjutor ia ka jingrep sohrun. U la iathuh ruh, ba ki Kui Heh ki long ki jaid mrad kiba ju leit bar lane leit eit ha ka juh ka jaka baroh shi lynter ka jingim jong ki.

Kat kum ka khanatang hyndai, ha ka por ba u khunbynriew bad ki jingthaw baroh, naduh ki sim ki doh, ki mrad ki mreng, ki kynja ba par baroh bad ki khñiang ki ksiah ki dang ia kren da kawei ka ktien, bad baroh ki dang lah ban ia sngewthuh iwei ia iwei pat. Ha kata ka por, la pynlong ia ka shad ka kmen kaba khraw tam, ka bym pat ju don kum kata lane ban dang don kaban sa long kum kata, ha kaba baroh ki jingthaw ba im ha ryngkew, ki la iawan iashim bynta ha kata ka jingiashad.

Ha ka por ba dang shongshit bha ka jingiashad, la wan ar ngut shipara. u Bnai bad ka Sngi ban ia shad ha kata ka Lympung. U Kui Heh, bad la ka waitlam arliang syrti, u la mih bad shad ha kata ka lympung. Namar ba ka jingshad jong u ka long kaba itynnad, kumta baroh kiba don hangta ki la ia risa bad kynhoi. U Pyrthat ba dang peitkai ia kata ka jingshad, u la ikwah ban ioh ia kata ka waitlam u Kui Heh namar, ka long ka waitlam ba bha tam na ki waitlam baroh ba don ha sla pyrthei. Kumta u tang shu sangeh u Kui Heh ban shad, u Pyrthat u la shim kabu da kaba pan kylliang ia ka waitlam jong u Kui Heh, bad u la sdang pastieh bad talaiñ ruh ia kata ka waitlam. Hynrei, ka la mih ka jingtharai sniew ia ka Sngi bad u Bnai ba long shipara ba ki iashad lang ar ngut kum shijur. Ka la don ka jingkreñ lomi, ka jingkyñnoh, ka jingkreñbeñ bad ka khak ka kyrkhah ia kiba pli, kat haduh ban pynsngewsih kthang ia ka Sngi. U Pyrthat ruh u la her thiaw sha sahit bneng, khlem pynphai shuh ia ka waitlam jong u Kui Heh. Ka tang shu phet ka Sngi la dum ka pyrthei bad la kulmar hi thlim baroh kiba shong ba sah ha ka. Dei naduh kata ka por ba u Kui Heh u la leit eit ha kajuha ka jaka man la ka sngi, da ka jingthmu ba ynda ka eit jong u ka la jrong bad kot haduh bneng, te un leit kiew sha bneng, ban leit knieh ia la ka waitlam na u Pyrthat.

Ia ki Kui Heh la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Bulpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylliem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don hapoh Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don khambun sha thaiñ Hingkaria, Hurroi, ha kiba bun ki khlaw kiba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don hapoh Jaintia Hills. La lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 31.2 Ki Kui Kyrtong.

Ki dei ki jaid Kui ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia ruh, kum ki Rai Kyrtong. Ki Biате ki khot ia ki, ki Sajo. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Matchuri Bolga. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Himalayan Palm Civets*.

Ki Kui Kyrtong haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong duna 2 phut khyndiat. Ki don ka jingiasyriem ia ka dur ka dar bad ki Miaw. Hynrei, ka shyntur jong ki ka kham nep ban ia ka jong ki Miaw. Ka khlieh jong ki ka heh kat ka khlieh Miaw. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ruh, ki heh kat ki khmat Miaw. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. ba jrong, ba eh, bajwat bad ba lieh ka rong, kaba long pher na ki tmaiñ ba ieng ka rong jong kiwei pat ki jaid Kui. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaiñ, ba sngaid bad ba lyngkot. Ha kliar ka shympriahkijat jong ki, ha ka bynta kaba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ia ki tyrsim jong ki hapoh ka snep kaba sop ia ki shympriahkijat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw ba ngi ri ha la iing ruh, ki lah ban buhrieh ia la ki tyrsim.

Ia ka met jong ki Kui Kyrtong la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba rben, bajlih bad ba da ka rong lam byrtem bthuh. Nador u ryndang jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba ieng ka rong. Ia ka khmat bad ka shyntur jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba ieng. Ia ka bynta ba napdeng ka khmat haduh ban da poi ka khmut jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang bad napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba byrlied ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba kham sha trai jong ki kjat jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba ieng ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba nador ki kjat, la sop da u shñiuh ba bthuh ka rong. Ia u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba byrtem bthuh ka rong, katba ia ka bynta ba sha kliar jong u tdong pat, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba ieng ka rong.

Ki Kui Kyrtong ki im hapoh ki khlaw ki btap. Ki bam bha ia ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid, ia ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Hynrei, ki bam ruh ia ki sim ki doh, ia ki mrad rit bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah. Ki Kui Kyrtong bad kiwei pat ki jaid Kui, kim ju leit bar ne leit eit ha kajuha ka jaka kumba long ki Kui Heh. Ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thlied dieng. Ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Ki lah ruh ban iaid sted la ha madan madiad ne halor ki dieng ruh kumjuh.

Kumba long ki Kui Heh, ki Kui Kyrtong ruh ki long ki jaid Kui kiba lah ban pynmih ia ka jingsma iwtung kaba jur bha lyngba u thied ba don ha ka 'liew eit jong ki. Kane ka jinglah jong ki ban leh kumne ka iarap ruh ia ki ban lait na ki jingma kiba bun, kiba wan na kiwei pat ki mrad ba kham heh ia ki.

Ki Kui Kyrtong ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki, ka long kaba lyngkot bha kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam ne lai bnai, te ki la kha khun. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka long ha ka por Lyiur, bad ki ju kha khun hapdeng lai bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thlied dieng. Ki Kui Kyrtong shynrang ki tang shu dep ban shongkha shongman, ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki na ka bynta ki khun ruh ka la kut. Kumta dei ka kmie kaba ri ba sumar, ba bsa ba pjiah bad ba pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun. Haba ki khun ki la kham san bad la khlaiñ bha, ka ju ialam ia la ki khun ban leit wad jingbam lang. Dei ruh ha kane ka por ba ki khun ki tip ban jied kino ki jaid soh, ki jaid shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad kino ki jaid khñiang ba bit ban bam. Haba ki khun ki la khlaiñ bha bad ki la sngewthuh ba ki la lah ban im marwei, ki mih noh ban im bad iaid la ka jong ka lynti.

Īa ki Kui Kyrting, Īa lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ki btap kiba don hapoh Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, Īa lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylliem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ki btap kiba don hapoh Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, Īa lap ba ki don sha thain̄ Khatkasla, ha ki katto katne ki khlaw kiba don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, ha kiba bun ki khlaw kiba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphullut, sha ka thain̄ Hingaria. Hurōi bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ki btap kiba don hapoh Jaintia Hills. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 31.3 Ki Kui Phlang.

Ki dei ki jaid Kui Īa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Rai Phlang. Hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship kine ki jaid Kui kim don, kumta kim don kyrting ha ka ktien Biate. Ki Gāro ki khot Īa ki, ki Matchru Chongipa. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip Īa ki kum ki *Small Indian Civets*.

Ki Kui Phlang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlich bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut tam khyndiat. Ki don ka jingāsyrtem bad ki Kui Heh. Ka khlich jong ki ka long kaba jrong. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki heh kat ki khmat Miaw. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, bajwat, ba ñiar bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep. Ki kjat jong ki, baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaiñ, ba sngaid bad ba lyngkot. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nator mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Ki lah ban buhrieh Īa Īa ki tyrsim hapoh ka snieh ba sop Īa ki shympriahkjat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw ruh ki lah ban buhrieh Īa Īa ki tyrsim

Īa ka met jong ki Kui Phlang la sop Īa ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem, bajlih bad ba byrtem ka rong. Nator ka met jong ki don katto katne tylli ki jingpruid dak, kiba long ter ter kum ki laiñ ba da ka rong ĩong. Īa ka khlich bad ka khmat jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba jlih bad ba byrtem bthuh ka rong. Napoh ryndang jong ki, don ki jingthoh lieh bad ba ĩong, syriem kumba long ha ki Kui Heh. Ha baroh arliang ki krung jong ki don ka jingthoh dak kiba rit ba rit ba da ka rong ĩong; Īa ka jaka ba lait pat la sop da u shñiuh ba byrtem ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem lieh ka rong. Īa u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long pyllun pyllun ba da ka rong lieh bad rong ĩong. Kine ki shñiuh ba long pyllun pyllun ba da ka rong lieh bad rong ĩong, ki ĩashong mar khap ne marsyndah kawei hadien kawei pat. Īa ka kliar bad ka trai jong u tdong jong ki, la sop Īa ki da u shñiuh ba ĩong ka rong.

Ki Kui Phlang kumba long ka kyrting jong ki, ki sngewtynnad bad juh ban shong ha ki jaka ba don bun u phlang uba jrong bad ki dieng ba lyngkot phyrngop. Ki shong ki sah ruh ha ki khlaw ki btap kiba don harud 'nong. Ki ju thiah ju dem ha trai ki phlang kiba jrong, bad hapoh ki maw ba don jingda na ka sngi, u slap bad ka lyer.

Ki Kui Phlang ki long ki jaid Kui kiba wad jingbam mynmiet, bad ki long ki jaid mrad kiba bam naphang. Ki bam Īa ki mrad kiba rit, Īa ki sim, ki ñiangbshiah, ki ñiangblen bad ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom. Haba ki ĩohlad, ki leit tuh Syiar ruh na ki sem syiar jong ki briew. Ki bam ruh Īa ki shylluit jong ki jingthung kiba mih ha ka mariang bad Īa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid.

Ki Kui Phlang ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Miaw. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha kaba tang hapoh tang ar bnai tam ne lai bnai, ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun ha ki thliew ba ki la tih hi hapoh khyndew, kiba don ha trai jong ki dieng ne ki maw. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 3 ne 4 tylli shisien kha. Ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiab bad ban pynheh pynsan ĩa ki khun, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Kui ka hap ha ka kmie. Ka jingpah jong ki khun jong ki ka ĩasyriem bad ka jingpah jong ki khun Miaw. Haba ki khun ki la kham san bad ki la khlaiñ bha, ka kmie ka ju ĩalam ĩa ki ban leit wad jingbam. Dei ruh ha kane ka por ba ki tip ban jied ĩa ki jaid mrad, ki sim, ki khñiang ki ksiah, ki shylluut jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad ĩa ki soh khlaw kiba bit ban bam. Haba ki khun ki la sngewthuh ba ki la lah ban im marwei, ki sa mih noh ban im bad ĩaid la ka lynti.

Ĭa ki Kui Phlang la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don hapoh Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhylllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don hapoh Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka, kiba don sha thaiñ War Jaintia, sha thaiñ Khatkasla, ha ki khlaw kiba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don hapoh Jaintia Hills. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 31.4 Ki Kui Khla.

Ki dei ki jaid Kui kiba don ha Jaintia Hills tang sha thaiñ War Jaintia, sha thaiñ Amkoī ki khot ĩa ki, ki Phirau. Kine ki jaid Kui kim don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, kumta kim don kyrteng ha ka ktien Biata. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Matchuri Matcha. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Spotted Linsang* lane ki *Tiger Civets*.

Ki Kui Khla haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut 4 inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong shi phut tam khyndiat. Ka dur ka dar jong ki ka ĩasyriem ĩa ki khla. Hynrei, ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba jrong. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba ĩeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki, ki heh kat ki khmat Miaw. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat, ba ñiar bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaiñ, ba sngaid bad ba lyngkot. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba kdor bad ba nep. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ĩa la ki tyrsim hapoh ka snieh ba sop ĩa ki shympriahkjat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw ruh ki lah ban bunrieh ĩa la ki tyrsim.

Ĭa ka met ki Kui Khla baroh kawei la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jliih, ba da ka rong saw byrtem bad da ki jingthoh ba ĩong kiba long pyllon pyllon. Ĭa ka khlieh bad ka khmat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba saw lam byrtem ka rong. Narum ki khmat bad na ka bynta ba mih ki tmaiñ harud ka shyntur jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong, bad don ruh ki jingthoh dak ĩong kiba rit pyllon pyllon. Nador ka ryndang jong ki don ki jingpruid dak ĩong kiba heh bad ba paw shynna bha. Ha ka met bad ka bynta ba shalor jong ki krung jong ki, don ki jingthoh dak ĩong kiba kham heh bad kiba long pyllon pyllon. Ĭa ka bynta ba sha trai ki krung jong ki bad napoh ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh uba lieh ka rong, bad don ruh ki jingthoh dak ĩong kiba rit kiba long pyllon pyllon. Ĭa ki kjat ba shakumat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba saw byrtem ka rong, bad don ruh ki jingthoh dak ĩong kiba kham rit kiba long pyllon pyllon. Ĭa ki kjat ba shadien jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba saw byrtem, bad don ruh ki jingthoh dak ĩong kiba rit kiba long pyllon pyllon ha ki lbong jong ki, katba ha ki bynta ba sharum jong ki kjat dien jong ki ym don ka jingthoh dak ĩong. Ĭa u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long pyllon pyllun ba da ka rong ĩong bad rong stem, bad ki ĩa shong mar syndah ne

markhap, kawei hadien kawei pat. Īa ka kliar jong u tdong, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba stem ka rong. Īa ka trai jong u tdong pat la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba stem ka rong bad ba don ruh bad ki jingthoh dak ĩong.

Ki Kui Khla ki long ki jaid Kui kiba itynnad bha. Hynrei, ki long pat ki jaid Kui kiba kham ñiar ban lap namar, ba kim don ha kylleng ki jaka; ki don tang ha ki katto katne ki bynta ka jylla Meghalaya, ym kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Kui. Kumba ki pher ka rong ka rup na kiwei pat ki jaid Kui, kumta ruh ki long ki bym lah ban pynmih ĩa ka jingsma iwtung kaba jur, kumba ki lah kiwei pat ki jaid Kui. Ki long pat ki mrad kiba lah ban kynthih bad rynsied kum ki khla. Ka rukom pynĭap mrad jong ki ruh ka long kumba kynrup ki Khla haba ki kem mrad.

U Bah Rin Lamin ba na ka shnong Amkoi, u la ĩathuh ba ki Kui Khla ki long kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Kĩ lah ban ĩaid sted halor ki dieng bad ha madan madiah ruh. Ki long ki jaid Kui kiba bam ĩa ki mrad kiba rit, kum ĩa ki khnai ba bun jaid, ki rsang, ki sim bad kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad. Hynrei, ki long pat ki bym bam ĩa ki soh bad ĩa ki shyllut jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Kui Khla ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Miaw U Bah Rin Lamin u la ĩathuh ba ki kha khun ar sien shi snem. Ki ju kha khun tang ar tylli shisien kha, ha ka thhiew dieng bad hapoh ki krem ba don bad ka khyndew. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka dei ha u bnai Rymphang bad u Nailur. Ka por punkhun ka jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam ki la kha khun. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapdeng 4 ne 5 bnai. Ka jungkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar. ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ĩa ki khun, ka hap ha ka kmie jong ki. Namar ki Kui Khla shynrang, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Kui, tang shu kut ka por shongkha shongman, ki im marwei bad ĩaid la ka lynti. Ki khun ynda ki la sngewthuh ba ki la lah ban im marwei, ki mih noh ban im bad ĩaid la ka lynti.

Īa ki Kui Khla la lap ba ki don ha ki katto katne ki khlaw, kiba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad ha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don ha Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki dang don tang ha ki khlaw kiba don sha thain War Jaintia. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 31.5 Ki Kui Rit.

Ki dei ki jaid Kui ĩa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Rai Miaw. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Sajo hi. Kĩ Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Matchuri Chona. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Common Palm Civets*.

Ki Kui Rit haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 phut. U tdong jong ki u jrong 2 phut duna. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba jrong. Kĩ shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh kat ki khmat Miaw. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat, ba ñiar bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, bakhlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah, ba khlaiñ, basngaid bad ba lyngkot. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Kĩ lah ruh ban buhrieh ĩa la ki tyrsim, hapoh ka snieh ba sop ĩa ki shympriahkjat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw ruh ki lah ban buhrieh ĩa la ki tyrsim.

Ka met ki Kui Rit ka ĩasyriem ĩa ka met ki Miaw, dei namar kane ka daw ba la khot ĩa ki, ha ka ktien Jaintia ki Rai Miaw. Īa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem, ba jlih bad ba

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long bthuh lam rong dpei. Nalor ka met jong ki, don ki jingthoh ba ñong kiba long dot dot kum u laiñ. Ìa ka khmat, ka shyntur bad ka bynta ba narum ka shyntur jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrñong ka rong. Narum ki shkor, don ka jingthoh ba byrñieh kaba rit, hynrei narum ki khmat pat don ka jingthoh ba byrñieh kaba rit. Ìa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba byrñieh bthuh ka rong. Ìa ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba byrñong bthuh ka rong. Ìa ki kjat ba shadien jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh ba long kum ka met jong ki hi. Na trai u tdong haduh ka bynta ba hapdeng u tdong jong ki, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh ba byrñong bthuh ka rong. Ìa ka bynta ba shaneng u tdong haduh ka kliar jong u pat, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh ba ñong ka rong.

Ki Kui Rit ki long ki jaid Kui kiba wad jingbam mynmiat. Ki bam ña ki Khnai kiba bun jaid, ña ki Risang, ki Sim, ki ñiangbshiah, ki ñiangblen, ki ñiangapñing, ki ñiangbliar, ki Bseññ rit bad ña ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom. Lada ki ñoh lad, ki leit tuh ruh ña ki Syiar na ki sem syiar, bad bam ña ki. Ki bam ruh ña ki shylluut jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang bad ña ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid. Ki shong ki sah hapoh thliw dieng ne ha ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki ju sah ruh ha khap jong ki phlang kiba jong bad ba khah bha.

Ki Kui Rit ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Miaw. Ki kha khun hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih ha trai jong ki dieng ne ha ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 3 bad 4 tylli. Ki kha khun sawsien shi snem. Ki ri khun hapoh lai bnai. Ki khun jong ki haba ki dang rit, ki ju pah jam kumba pah ki khun Miaw. Ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ña la ki khun, kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Kui, ka hap ha ka kmie. Ki Kui Rit ki long kiba tbit ban kiew dieng, ki lah ban ñaid sted la halor dieng ne ha madan madiah. Ki wad jingbam ruh halor dieng bad sha khyndew.

La lap ba ki Kui Rit ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don hapoh Khasi Hills. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don sha thaññ Hingkaria, Huroi, Khatkasla, hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphylluut, sha ki khlaw ba don ha ka pud wah jong ka wah Kupli bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw. La lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei de ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Kiwei pat ki Jaid Kui ha Garo Hills.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba nalor kitei ki jaid Kui ba la thoh haneng, ha Garo Hills don sa kine ki jaid Kui, ña kiba ki khot ki Jaha Maula kiba sma iwbiñ kum u khaw Juha. Kane ka lah ban long ba ki don ki kynja thied ba pynmih jingiwbiñ, ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Scent Glands*. Sa shi jaid pat ki Kui ki dei kiba khot ha ka ktien Garo, ki Ang'ke Rigi bad ki long ruh, ki jaid Kui kiba itynnad tam napdeng ki jaid Kui baroh. Ki ju leit wad jingbam sha ki wah rit ban kem ña ki Tham bad ki Shymprong bad bam ña ki. Kine ki Kui baroh arjaid, ki im bad kha kun kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Kui. Hynrei, baroh ar jaid kim don ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills.

### Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Kui:

Namarba ki Kui ki bam bha ña ki khnai ba bun jaid, ña ki Bseññ, ki Tham bad ña ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw, ban khanglad ba ki Khnai, ki Bseññ, ki Tham bad ki Khñiang ki Ksiah kin nym ñoh lad ban roi shaba palat than. Ki brierw jong ngi bad kiba bun ki jaid riwllum ki bam bha ña ka doh jong ki Kui.



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Ki Phirau ki dei ki jaid mrad ba rit, la ioh ia ka kyrteng jong ki na ka ktien War Jaintia namar, ki kham bun ha kane ka thain. Ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki Spotted Linsangs.

Kumba 15 snem mynshwa, une u Nongthoh u la iohi ia u Phirau, ha ka por 7 baje janmiet kat ba dang wan phai na shnong Dawki. Dei ha shwa ban poi ha ka lad ban leit sha shnong Darrang, ba la iohi ia uwei u mrad ba itynnad ba u par pynsted na shiliang sha shiliang ka surok bad la iohi ia ka jingthoh rong ha ka met bad u tdong jong u. La lah ban iohi ia uta u mrad kumba u long na ka jingshai ki light jong ka jeep. Baroh kiba shong hapoh ka jeep ym don uwei ruh uba ithuh ba uta u mrad u dei uei. Hynrei, ynda wan u Bah Ring Lamin ba na ka shnong Amkoi jong ka War Jaintia, sha iing jong ngi bad ynda nga la batai ia u ia ka jinghch, ka jingjrong bad ia ka rukom thoh rong ha ka met bad u tdong jong uta u mrad, u sa iathuh ba uta u mrad u dei u Phirau.

Ki Phirau, haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 1 phut bad 1 phut 4 inshi. U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba jrong bad u duna tang khyndiat ia ka jingjrong ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki. Ki don ka jingiasyriem bad ki Kui hynrei, ki kham rit ban ia ki Kui.

Ka khlieh jong ki Phirau ka heh kat ka khlieh Miaw. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat Miaw bad ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar kawei pa kawei ka shympriahkjat, ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba ch, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ia ki tyrsim jong ki hapoh ka snich ba sop ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki, syriem kumba ki Miaw ruh ki lah ban leh kumta. Ki tyrsim ba nep jong ki, ki iärap ia ki ba kin lah ban kiew sted dar dar ia ki dieng bad ha ki tnad dieng.

Ka met jong ki Phirau ka long kaba lam jrong bad ba lam tylli. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem bad ba stem ka rong hynrei, don ruh bad ki jingthoh dak ki bym ba heh ba da ka rong iöng. Ia ka khlieh bad ka khmat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba stem ka rong. Narum ki khmat don khyndiat ka bynta ba sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Narud ryndang don ka jingpruid laiñ ba da ka rong ba iöng. Ia ka bynta ba narud ka khmut jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka ryndang bad napoh ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrliet ka rong. Ia ki krung jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong bad ba don bad ki jingthoh dak ba rit ba da ka rong iöng. Ia u tdong jong ki la sop pyllun pyllun da u shñiuh ba stem bad ba iöng ka rong, kiba ia shong mar syndah kawei hadien kawei pat.

Ki Phirau ki long ki jaid mrad kiba leit wad jingbam ha ka por miet. Ha ka por sngi ki thiah hapoh ki thliet ba don ha ki dieng ne hapoh ki thliet ba don hapoh khyndew. Ki pyllut bun ka por halor ki dieng bad ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban iaid ban ieng halor ki dieng. Ki leit wad jingbam ruh sha madan madiet ne ha khyndew. Ki long ki mrad kiba bam bun jaid ki jaid jingbam. Ki bam ia ki mrad ba rit kum ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki Risang, Ki Niangbshiah, Niangblen, Niangbliar, ki Sim, ki Khun Sim, ki pylleng Sim bad ia ki Khñiang ki Ksiah ba bun jaid. U Bah Rin Lamin u iathuh ba shisien ba u Phirau u la beh ia u Risang, te ka long kaba eh ba ia uta u Risang ba un lait im, lait sa

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tang ba u Risang un ioh kloi ban rung shapoh ka thliw maw kaban ngiam tang kat ban rung u Risang.

Ki Phirau ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Miaw. Ki kha khun ruh ar sien shi snem ha u bnai Rymphang bad ha u Nailar. Ki kha khun ruh ar ne lai tylli shisien kha hapoh ki thliw ba don ha ki dieng.

Ya ki Phirau la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### **Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Phirau:**

Namarba ki Phirau ki bam bha ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid bad ia ki Khñiang ki Ksiah ba har rukom, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khang lad ba ki Khnai bad ki Khñiang ba bun jaid kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat. Namar ki Khnai bad ki Khñiang ki long ki nongpynjot nongpynjulor ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew.

Ki briew jong ngi ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki Phirau.

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Ka *Map* ba pyni ia ki jaka ba don ki Phirau ha dewbah Asia (bynta ba la pyniōng)  
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### KI SHYNDER

Ki dei ki mrad saw kjat, kiba heh kat kɪ khun sniang ba la iehnoh ban buiñ. La tip ruh ïa ki kum ki Shyndied bad don ruh kiba khot ïa ki Shyndied Bam Wang, namar, ki bang bha ban bam ïa ka Wang bad ïa ka Shriew. Ha ka ktien Phareng lah ban khot ïa ki ki *Rodents* namar, ki don ar tylli ki bniat na neng ka shyntur jong ki bad ar tylli pat na rum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har.

La khot ïa ki ki Shynder ne ki Shyndied namar, ka khmut kaba kynthup ruh ka shyntur jong ki ka long lam at shalor. Ka khmut, ki shkor bad ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ki long ki-bym don shñiuh bad ki long saw doh ka rong. ïa ka met jong kɪ la sop da u shñiuh uba khaiñ, ba jrong ba ïong ka rong bad ba don jingthoh dak lam byrlieh malu mala. Ki don ar tylli ki khmat kiba rit. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba lam pyrkhung na ka bynta ba na shalor. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat bad ki long kiba khlem shñiuh. Ha khar kɪ shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. U tdong jong kɪ ruh u long u bym don shñiuh bad u jrong tang kumba ar inshi ei ei, katba ïa ka kpoh jong ki pat, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Shynder ki dei ki jaid mrad ba thiah mynsngi hapoh kɪ thliew ba ki la tih hi. Ki leit wad jingbam pat ha ka por mynmiet. Namar ba ki long kɪ mrad ba leit wad jingbam mynmiet mynsynia, kumta, kiba bun ki briew kim ju kham ïohi ïa kɪ. Ki dei ruh ki jaid mrad kiba bam bha ïa ka met jong kɪ jingthung kiba mih hapoh khyndew kum ïa kɪ shriew bad u phan karo. Kɪ bam ruh ïa ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid bad ïa ki thied dieng. Kɪ Shynder haba kɪ wad jingbam ki kyntur da ka khmut jong ki, syriem kumba leh ki sniang.

Ka jingpah ki Shynder ka long kumba pyrsad. Kɪ long ruh ki mrad ki bym khlaiñ ban ïaid ne ban mareh. Tang shu lap ki briew te ki la ïoh beit ïa ki. Kiba bun ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ïa ka doh jong ki. Ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliew ba kɪ la tih ne khleng hi hapoh khyndew bad ki kha khun ruh hapoh jong kine ki thliew hi. Kɪ long ruh ki mrad kɪ bym da roi bha. Ki ïapoikha ruh kumba ïapoikha ki Sniang.

ïa ki Shynder la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Kɪ lah ban don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri.

Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Shynder ka long ba ngi ïoh ban bam ïa ka doh jong ki.

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#### 34.1 Ki Ksih Bthuh.

Ki dei ki jaid Ksih heh kiba bthuh ka rong, ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Ksih wa Bthuh. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki, ki Saram Ilian. (Saram ka mut ki Ksih bad Ilian pat ka mut ba heh). Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Matram Dal'a. (Matram ka mut ki ksih bad Dal'a pat ka mut baheh). Ha ka ktien phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Common Otters*.

Ki Ksih Bthuh haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut bad 2 phut tam. U tdong jong ki, u jrong shi phut shiteng. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad don ruh katto katne ki ñiuhmat, kiba jrong kum ki tmaiñ. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat, kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har, da kiba ki lah ban dait da kaba suk ña ki dohkha dohpnat bad ña ki dohthli, kiba ka met jong ki ka long kaba btuid bha. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. ña ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh lang ña ki, da ka kynja snur ne ka snieh kaba stang, syriem kumba long ki shympriahkjat jong ki Han bad ki Dkar. Ka jingdon kane ka snieh ba stang, kaba pyniasoh ña ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ka ñarap bad pynsuk ña ki Ksih ban jngi hapoh ki wah bad ki nan. Ha klier jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Ka met jong ki ruh ka long kaba tylli bad ba khlaiñ.

Ña ka met bad u tdong jong ki Ksih Bthuh, la sop ña ki da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jwat, ba khaiñ, bym jlìh bad ba longbthuh ka rong, lait noh ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, kaba long lam byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Ksih Bthuh ki long ki jaid Ksih kiba sngewtynnad bad ba juh ban shong ban sah harud jong ki wah, ki nan bad ki pung. Ki ju sam thliew ña ka khyndew ba don harud wah, khnang ba kin dup suk ban leit ban wan sha ki thliew ki krem ba ki shong ki sah. Hynrei, don ruh kiba shong ba sah kham jngai khyndiat narud ki wah bad ki nan, ha ki thliew ki krem ba ki la tih hi. Harud ki krem ba ki shong ki sah, lah ban ñohi ba don ki shiah dohkha, ki snep dohkha bad ña ki dienjat jong ki.

Ki jingbam ba kongsan jong ki Ksih Bthuh ki long ki dohkha dohpnat, ki dohthli bad ki tham. Hynrei, ki bam ruh ña ki shymprong, ki sher-syngkai, ña ki sim ba jngi ha sla um bad ña kiba jngi shapoh um ruh, kum ña ki Han, ki Sim Puh dohkha, bad ña kiba kum kita. Ha ryngkew, ki bam ña ki Khnai, ki sla dieng bad ki phlang ba mih harud jong ki wah bad ki nan. Ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por meit, hynrei, ha ki wah ba don sha jngai na ki shnong ba shong ki briew, bad ha ki jaka bym ju kham poi briew, ki wad jingbam mynsngi bad janmeit ruh.

“Ki Ksih Bthuh ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Phyllad. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam, te ki la kha khun noh. Ka por ai buiñ khun jong ki ruh, ka long kaba lyngkot kaba tang hapoh lai bnai. Hynrei, ki khun ki ña shong ña sah ryngkat bad la ki kmie ki kpa hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem duna. Ki long kiba la san pura ynda ki la dap ar snem. Haba ki la sngewkhlaiñ ba ki lah ban im la ka jong, ki sa mih noh bad leit shong sha la ka thliw ka krem. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por ba ki Ksih Bthuh kynthei ki dang ri khun, ki Ksih Bthuh shynrang ki ña bun kam bha, ban leit kem dohkha bad wallam ña ki sha la

ki thliw ki krem ba don ki khun rit bad ki lok jong ki. Ynda ki kshih kynthei ki la khlaif, ki ju leit beh dohkha lang bad ki kpa ki khun jong ki, ban dup bsa ia la ki khun. Haba ki khun ki la khlaif bha, ki ju ialam ia ki ban leit beh dohkha lang shapoh wah lem bad ki”.

Ia kane ka bynta ba haneng une u nongthoh u la ioh ia ka, da kaba u la iohi bad iohngew ia ka jingbatai, ha kawei na ki programme ba la pyni shaphang ki Kshih (*Otters*), ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*.

Napdeng ki mrad khlaw baroh kiba don hapoh Meghalaya, ki Kshih ki long kiba tbit bha ban jngi (laitnoh ki dohkha dohpnat kiba im hapoh um). Ki kjat ba kshah bad ba khlaif jong ki, ki shympriahkjat ba la pyniasoh lang da ka snieh ba stang, ka met ba tylli bad ba khlaif jong ki, lem bad u tdong ba jrong jong ki, ki iarap lang ban pynlong ia ki Kshih Bthuh bad ia kiwei de ki jaid Kshih, ban long kiba sted bha ban jngi hapoh ki thwei, ki tharia, ki wah bad ki nan. Ka jingsted jong ki ban jngi ka iarap ia ki ban lah ban beh thong ia ki dohkha bad kem ia ki, da kaba dait da ki bniat ba nep har har jong ki. Barabor, ia ki kha rit, ki bam ia ki hapoh um. Hynrei, ia ki dohkha kiba heh ki dait ia ki ha ka shyntur jong ki bad rah ia ki sha ryngkew, bad ki sa bam ia ki.

Ia ki Kshih Bthuh la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, ha ki khlaw ba don ha k1 phud wah jong ka wah Simsang bad sha kiwei de k1 jaka ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de k1 jaka. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don kham bun ha k1 khlaw kiba don ha ki phud wah jong ka wah Kupli, ha k1 khlaw kiba don ha k1 phud wah jong ka wah Khyntiam kaba don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de k1 jaka. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka r1 India, bad sha kiwei de k1 ri.

### 34.2 Ki Kshih Iong.

Ki dei ki jaid Kshih heh bad ka rong jong k1 ka long kaba iong. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ia ki kum ki Kshih Waiong. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Saram Ilian hi. K1 Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Matram Dal'a Gisim. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum k1 *Smooth Indian Otters*.

Ki Kshih Iong haba k1 la san pura bha, k1 heh bad jrong kat ki Kshih Bthuh hi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad don ruh katto katne ki niuhmat, kiba jrong kum k1 tmaiñ kumba long ki Kshih Bthuh hi. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih k1 tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba ñar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaif bad ba nep har har. Kumta, da kaba suk ki lah ban dait ia ki dohkha dohpnat bad ia ki dohthli, kiba ka met jong ki ka long kaba btuid. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli, ki long kiba kshah bad ba khlaif bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh lang ia k1 da ka snieh kaba stang, syriem kumba long ki shympriahkjat jong ki Kshih Bthuh, ki Han bad ki Dkar. Ka jingdon jong kane ka snieh ba stang, kaba pyniasoh ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ka iarap bad pynsuk ia ki ban jngi hapoh ki thwei, ki tharia, ki nan bad ki wah. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaif, ba kdor bad ba nep.

Ia ka met bad u tdong jong ki Kshih Iong, la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba khah, ba rben, ba jlih bad iong ka rong. Dei tang ha ka bynta ba napoh ryndang bad khyndiat ka bynta ka shadem jong ki, ba la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrlieh ka rong. Ka jingkhah bad rben jong u shñiuh jong ki ka iarap ia ki ba

kin ym jhieh ka met jong ki, wat haba ki jngi shapoh ba jylliew ka thwei ruh. Ynda ki mih napoh um, ki ju pynkhih ia ka met jong ki, khnang ban pynhap ia ka um ba snoh halor u shñiuh jong ki.

Kumba long ki Ksih Bthuh, ki Ksih ųong ruh ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliw ki krem, kiba don harud ki wah bad ki nan. Hynrei, don ruh kiba shong ba sah ha ki thliw ki krem kiba don kham pajih ne jngai khyndiat na ki wah bad ki nan. Ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban jngi kumba long ki Ksih Bthuh hi. Ki dohkha dohpnat ki long ka jingbam ba kongsan jong ki. Hynrei, haba duna dohkha ki bam ia ki Tham, ki Dohthli, ki Shymprong, ki Sher-syngkai, ia ki Sim ba jngi ha sla um bad shapoh um, kum ia ki Han, ki sim Puhdohkha bad kiba kum kita. Ha ryngkew, ki bam ia ki Khnai bad ia u phlang uba mih harud ki wah bad ki nan. Ki im ha ka kynhun kaba rit, kaba kynthup ia ki kmie ki kpa, ki khun rit bad katto katne ki khun ki bym pat dap ar snem ka rta.

Ki Ksih ųong ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Ksih Bthuh. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kumba long ki Ksih Bthuh hi. Ka por ai buiñ jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot, kaba tang hapoh lai bnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh ar ne lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha khun haba ki kmie Ksih ųong kim pat khlaiñ, ki kpa Ksih ųong ki ia bunkam ban leit kem dohkha bad ban leit ai ia ki sha ki thliw ki krem ba don ki kmie ba dang shu ioh khun. Ynda ki kmie ki la khlaiñ, ki ju leit beh dohkha lang bad ki kpa ki khun jong ki, khnang ban bsa ia la ki khun. Haba ki khun jong ki, ki la khlaiñ bha ki ju ialam lang ia ki ban leit beh dohkha hapoh ki wah bad ki nan. Ki khun ki iashong ryngkat bad la ki kmie ki kpa hapdeng shisnem tam bad ar snem duna. Ynda ki la sngew khlaiñ ba ki la lah ban im la ka jong, ki mih noh bad leit shong leit sah sha la ki jong ki thliw ki krem. Ki long kiba la san pura bha, ynda ki la dap ar snem.

Ia ki Ksih ųong la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, ha ki khlaw ba don ha ka phud wah jong ka wah Simsang bad sha kiwei de ki jaka, ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh *Nongkhyllem Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw ba don ha ki phud wah jong ka Wah Kupli, ka Wah Myntang bad Wah Myngngot. Ki don ruh sha thaiñ Huroi, Hingaria, Khatkasla, hapoh Saipung Sirdarship, hapoh Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 34.3 Ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim.

Ki dei ki jaid Ksih ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia, kum ki Ksih Khian. Kine ki jaid Ksih kim don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, kumta kim don kyrteng ha ka ktien Biате. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Matram Chona (Matram ka mut Ksih bad chona pat ka mut barit), lane ki Matram Jakshelgri (Jakshelgri ka mut bym don tyrsim). Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Clawless Otters*.

Ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim ki dei ki jaid Ksih kiba kham rit, tangba ki kham heh khyndiat ia ki Ksih Bamtham. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, ka jrong hapdeng shiphut bad ar phut duna. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapdeng 10 inshi bad shi phut tam khyndiat. Ka khlieh jong ki ka kham rit ban ia ka jong ki Ksih Bthuh bad ki Ksih ųong. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad don ruh katto katne tylli ki ñiuhmat, kiba jrong kum ki tmaiñ. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh lang da ka snieh kaba stang, syriem kumba long ki shympriahkjat jong ki Ksih Bthuh, ki Ksih ųong, ki Han bad ki Dkar. Hynrei, ki long ki jaid Ksih ki bym don tyrsim,

kumba don ki Ksih Bthuh bad ki Ksih ųong. Ki Tyrsim jong ki, ki long tang kum ki tynrai kiba khlem mih pura. Dei namar kane ba la khot ia ki ha ka ktien Phareng, ki *Clawless Otters* (*Clawless* ka mut bym don tyrsim). Ki kjat ba sha khmat jong ki ruh, ki kham rit khyndiat ban ia ki kjat ba shadien jong ki.

Īa ka met bad u tdong jong ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim, la sop ia ki da u shńiuh uba khah, ba rben bad ba byrřong bthuh ka rong. Īa ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, shadem bad kpoh la sop ia ki da u shńiuh uba byrlieh bthuh ka rong. U shńiuh ba khah, ba rben bad ba jlih jong ki, u ĩarap bad ĩada ĩa ki ba kin nym jhieh ka met jong ki wat la ki jngi shaba jylliew jong ki thwei ki tharia bad ki nan ruh; ki tang shu mih napoh um ki pynkhih ia ka met jong ki, khnang ba ka um ba snoh ha u shńiuh jong ki kan hap noh.

Ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim kumba long ki Ksih Bthuh bad ki Ksih ųong, ki long kiba tbit bha ban jngi, kumta, ki lah ban beh thong bad kem ruh ia ki dohkha dohpnat, da kaba dait da ki bniat jong ki. Wat la ki bam ĩa ki dohkha hynrei, ki kham bang ban bam ĩa ki tham, ki mattah, ki dohthli, ki shymporong, ki sher-syngkat, ki shalynnai, ki dohjet, ki lun, ki jakoid, ki japich bad kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ia ki sim kiba jngi ha sla um bad kiba jngi hapoh um, kum ia ki ĩlan, ki Sim puhdohkha bad kiba kum kita. U Bah Bniat Lathong u la ĩathuh ba baroh ki jaid Ksih ba don hapoh Meghalaya, ki bam ruh ia ki sla dieng bad ia u phlang ba mih harud ki wah bad ki nan. Ki sla dieng bad ki phlang ki long kum ki dawat ban ĩada bad pynkoit ia ki Ksih, na ki jingpang jong ki

Ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Ksih Bthuh, ki Ksih ųong bad ki Phyllad. Ka por punkhun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kumba long ki Ksih Bthuh bad ki Ksih ųong. Ki Kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad lai tylli shisien kha. Ka por ai buiń jong ki ruh, ka long kaba lyngkot kaba tang hapoh lai bnat. Hynrei, ki khun ki ĩashong ĩasah ryngkat bad la ka ki kmie ki kpa hapdeng shi snem tam bad ar snem duna. Haba ki la sngew khlaiń ba ki la lah ban im la ka jong, ki mih noh bad leit shong leit sah sha la ki thlew ki krem. Ki long kiba la san pura bha, ynda ki la dap ar snem. Ha ka por ba ki kmie ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim ki dang shu dep ban ĩoh khun, ki kpa Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim, ki ĩa bunkam bha ban leit kem dohkha bad ban leit rah ia ki sha la ki thlew ki krem ba don ki khun rit bad ki tnga jong ki. Haba ki kmie Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim pat ki la khlaiń, ki ju leit kem dohkha lang bad ki menkpa jong ki, ban ĩarap ban bsa lang ia la ki khun. Haba ki khun jong ki, ki la khlaiń bha, ki ju ĩalam ia ki ban leit beh dohkha lang. Dei ruh ha kaba kum kata ka por ba ki khun Ksih, ki sa tip kumno ban khangkdong bad ban kem ia ki dohkha dohpnat, bad ia kiwei kiwei ki jingthaw ba im hapoh ki wah bad ki nan.

Īa ki Ksih Bymdon Tyrsim la lap ba ki don ha poh ka *Balpakram National Park*, ha ki khlaw kiba don ha ka phud wah jong ka wah Simsang bad sha kiwei de ki jaka ba don ha Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki jaka. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha ki khlaw ba don ha ki phud wah jong ka Wah Kupli, Myntang, Mynkhen, Myngngot bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. La lap ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 34.4 Ki Ksih Bam Tham.

Ki dei ki jaid Ksih kiba rit tam. Kiba bun ki jrong shi phut duna, hynrei sha thaiń Amkoi (kaba don hapoh War Jaintia) ki jrong kumba shi phut ei ei. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba lang tylli bad kaba lam pyllun. La sop ia ka met jong ki da u shńiuh uba khah bha, ba jem bad ba long lam byrřong bthuh ka rong. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiń kiba ĩiar, ba jwat bad ba lam byrlieh ka rong. Ki don

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ar tylli ki shkor kiba rit bad artylli ki khmat kiba phymai bha. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, ki don ki bniat kiba nep har har. Ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat. Ha ka bynta ba sha kliar jong ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalar, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, kiba khlain, ba lam kdor bad kiba nep. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh da ka kynja snur syriem kumba long ki shympriahkjat ki Han. La khot ia ki ki Ksih Bam Tham namar ki bam bha ia ki Tham. Hynrei ki bam ruh ia ki Dohkha, ki Dohthli bad ia ki Shalynnai.

Ki shong ki sah kham jngai na ki wah hapoh ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew bad ki kha khun ruh hapoh kine ki krem hapteng lai bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapoh shisnem. Haba ki khun kila khlain bha, ki ju ialam ia ki ban leit beh tham bad ia kiwei kiwei ki kynja ba im hapoh wah. Ki ia shongkha kumba ia shongkha kiwei pat ki Ksih.

Ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ia ka doh jong kine ki jaid Ksih. La lap ba ki Ksih Bam Tham ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya, sha kiwei de ki jylla bad ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Ksih bad ka jingpyndonkam ia ki.**

Ki Ksih ki bam ruh ia ki Tham bad ia ki Khnai. Ki Tham ki long kiba pynjutor bad pynsniew bha ia ki nur um, ba ki briew ki ring um sha ki lyngkha ki risa jong ki, da kaba ki Tham ki siam thliw ha ki nur um. Ki Khnai pat ki long kiba pynjot bad pynjutor bha ia u khaw u kba, ia ka rep ka riang bad ia ki jingthung jingtep jong u khun bynriew. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khanglad ia ki Tham bad ki Khnai, ba kin ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

Ha kawei na ki programme ba la pyni shaphang ki Ksih (*Otters*), ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, une u Nongthoh u la iohi bad iohsngew ruh ia ka jingbatai, ba don ki briew sha ri Sepngi kiba ri ia ki Ksih kumba ki ri ia ki Ksew ki Miaw ha ki iing ki sem jong ki. Kumta, kan bha shibun ba ki briew jong ngi ruh kin pyrshang noh ban ri ia ki Ksih, bad kan long ka jingmyntoi kaba khraw namar, kiba bun ki briew jong ngi, ki bam bha ia ka doh Ksih.

Sha ri Sepngi, ia ki snieh ba sop da u shñiuh ba jem (*Fur*) jong ki Ksih, ki ju suh ia ki ha u ryndang jong ki *Jacket*, ban pynitynnad bad ban pynsyaid ia ki nongphong.

U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh ba ki Kobiraij, ki ju pyndonkam ia ka khleiñ Ksih ban shna dawai. Haba sah ne jnang shiah dohkha, lada phi don ka bniat Ksih, pyntud lai sien lai wat da ka bniat Ksih, nalar ka jaka ba sah shiah dohkha bad khlempep kata ka shiah dohkha kan lait.

Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Ksih Bam Tham ka long ba ki iarap bha ban pynduna ia ki jingroi jong ki Tham, kiba pynjutor ia ki nur ban ba ki nongrep ki ring um sha ki hali hator jong ki bad ngi ioh ruh ia ka doh jong kiban bam.

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Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Ksar hi. Hynrei ym ioh ia ka kyrteng jong ki ha ka ktien Biате, Garo bad Phareng ruh namar, ym ioh dur lypa ban pyni ha ki nongbatai Garo bad ha kiba tip shaphang ki mrad ha ka ktien Phareng.

U Bah Phedrik Sumer ba na ka shnong Phlongingkhaw jong ka Jaintia Hills District, u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Ksar ki don saw jaid. Shi jaid kiba heh kat ki Ksew shnong bad yn khot ia ki ki Ksar Heh. Shi jaid pat ki long kiba Saw briang ka rong. Kiba lai pat ki long kiba lam byriong saw ka rong bad ki Ksar kiba rit eh ki dei kiba don jingthoh ha ka met jong ki kumba thoh rong ha ka met ki Khla Krung bad ia kine yn khot ia ki ki Ksar Khla.

Ki Ksar heh haba ki la san pura bha ki heh bad jrong kat ki ksew shnong. Ia ka met jong ki baroh shi rnyieng la sop da u shñiuh uba jrong saphum ba lam bthuh rong дума bad don ruh kiba ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jrong saphum ba da ka rong umja (kaba shet da u khaw saw). U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba jrong kat ka tdong jong ki Ksew shnong hi. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba kyrdap kata ki long kiba lam kdor, kaba long kaba iapher na ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki Ksar, kiba ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ka shyntur jong ki ruh ka ia syriem ia ka shyntur Ksew. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba jwat bad ba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ka khmat ki Ksew. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba ksah, ba khlañ bad ba lyngkot. Kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki ka don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ki shympriahkjat na ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ha ka por ba une u Nongthoh u dang don kumba shiphew ne khadar snem ka rta, u la iohi ia u Ksar heh ba la ngat ha ka jingriam ba rung sha ka sem syar jong u Woh Edri Paswet (Bam kwai ha dwar u Blei), uba ju shong ju sah hapoh ka dong Mission Compound, Jowai ia kaba la tip ruh kum ka dong Pohskur.

Ki Ksar ki long ki jaid mrad ba bam bun jaid ki jingbam. Ki bam ia ki sim ki doh, ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki mrad rit bad ki ju bam bad pynjutor bha ia ki Syiar ba ri ki bñiew. Namarkata, ki bñiew ki pyniap bha ia ki Ksar bad mynta ki la ñiar bad duna bha, bad ki lah ruh ban duh jaid noh.

Ki Ksar ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Phyllad. Ka por kha khun jong ki ka long hapdeng u Nailur bad u bnai Risaw. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapdeng ar bad lai tylli shisien kha. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh thliw ba don bad ka khyndew ne ha ki thliw maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ha ka por tlang, ynda ki khun ki la khlañ bha, la ju iohi ba ka kmie jong ki ka ju ialam ia ki ban leit wad jingbam.

La lap ba ki Ksar Heh ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

Ki Ksar ba saw briang ka rong ki long kiba ar ha ka jingheh. Hynrei ki shkor jong ki pat ki long kiba ieng kumba ieng ki shkor Miaw. Ka rukom im ka rukom bam, ka rukom shongkha, ka por kha khun bad ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki ruh ka long kum ka jong ki Ksar Heh hi.

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Ki Ksar ba lam byr̄tong saw ka rong ki long kiba lai ha ka jingheh. Kine ruh ki long kiba ieng ki shkor kum ki shkor Miaw. Ka rukom im ka rukom bam, ka rukom shongkha, ka por kha khun bad ka jaka kha khun bad ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki ruh ka long kum ka jong ki Ksar Heh hi.

Ki Ksar Khla ki long kiba rit eh napdeng ki jaid Ksar. Ki iā syriem bha bad ka Miaw. Ki heh ruh kat ka Miaw. Ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kumba long ki shkor Miaw hi. iā ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jlih, ba khah, ba lyngkot bad ba thoh rong baroh shiryñieng kum ki Khla Krung. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, ka rukom iāpoikha, ka por kha khun bad ka jaka kha khun lem bad ka jaka shong jaka sah jong ki ka long kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Ksar.

La lap ba kine ki jaid Ksar ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Ksar:

Namar ba ki Ksar ki bam bha iā ki khnai ba bun jaid, kumta, ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ba ki khnai kin nym ioh lad ban roi sha ba palat than.

Namar ba ki briew jong ngi ki bam iā ki Ksar, kumta ngi ioh ruh iā ka doh ban bam na ki Ksar.

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U 'larkhiar (*Khalij's Pheasant*) lane u 'Nirai' (ha ka ktien Jaintia) u long uwei na ki jingbam jong ki mrad ba bam doh. Ki briew ruh ki bam bha iā ki. Kine ruh ki la jan duh jaid.

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### KI BSHAD

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Pshad. Hynrei ha ka ktien Biate, Garo bad Phareng ym shym ñoh kyrteng ña ki.

U Bah Rin Lamin ba na ka shnong Amkoi, kaba don hapoh ka Amlarem Sub-Division jong ka Jaintia Hills District, u la ñathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba ki Bshad ki don saw jaid. Ki Bshad Dngiem kiba dei kiba heh tam. Ki Bshad Lieh pat ki dei kiba ar ha ka jingheh. Ki Bshad Bthuh ba lyngkot shñiuh ki dei kiba lai ha ka jingheh bad ki Bshad long pat ki long kiba rit tam.

### 36.1 Ki Bshad Dngiem.

Ki Bshad Dngiem ha ba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong k1 ka jrong hapdeng 2 phut bad 2 phut tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapdeng shi phut shiteng bad ar phut. ña ka met jong ki baroh shi rynñeng la sop da u shñiuh ba jrong saphum syriem kum u shñiuh jong ki jaid Ksew ba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Spitz*, ba da ka rong bthuh lam byrlich malu mala. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun bad ba lyngkot. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba jwat, ba jrong bad ba ñiar. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki khnat jong ki ki long kiba pyllun bad ba phymai bha. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ñeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba khlaiñ, ba ksah bad ba lyngkot. Ha baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ka bynta ba sha kliar jong ki shympriahkjat na ka bynta ba nalog mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Bshad Dngiem ki long ki mrad ba leit wad jingbam mynmiet. Ki bam bha ña ki soh khlaw ba bun jaid kum ña ki soh tlai, ki kait, ki soh liang bad kiba kum kita ki jaid soh. Ki bam bha ruh ña ki jaid khnai ba bun jaid bad ña ki mrad rit, wat ña ka mattah ruh ki bam ña ka. Ha ka por ba la ih bha u soh liang, ki briew ha ka por miet ki ju leit siat ña ki ha ki dieng soh liang da kaba tbeh da ka *torchlight*. Mynsngi pat ki thiah halor dieng ne hapoh ki krem dieng.

Ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliw dieng. Ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Phyllad. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw dieng hapdeng lai bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh shi snem.

### 36.2 Ki Bshad Lieh.

Ki Bshad Lieh ki long kiba ar ha ka jingheh. ña ka met jong ki la sop baroh shirynñeng da u shñiuh ba lyngkot bad ba lieh ka rong kum ka kot sada. Ki jrong hapdeng shi phut bad shi phut shiteng. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kat ka met jong ki hi. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, por wad jingbam, ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ka jaka kha khun ruh ka long kum ki Bshad Dngiem hi. Ki ju kha khun ha ka por Lyiur. Ha ka por ngor dieng jong ki nongrep tynpew sha thaiñ Amkoi, ki briew ki ju ñoh ña ki khun jong ki Bshad Lieh.

### 36.3 Ki Bshad Bthuh.

Ki Bshad Bthuh ki long kiba lai ha ka jingheh. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka met bad ka khlieh jong ki ka jrong hapteng shi phut bad shi phut tam khyndiat. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kumba jrong ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki hi. Ia ka met jong ki baroh shiryñieng la sop da u shñiuh ba khah, ba lyngkot bad ba bthuh ka rong. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, por wad jingbam, ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ka jaka kha khun ruh ka long kum ki Bshad Dngiem hi.

### 36.4 Ki Bshad Ÿong.

Ki Bshad Ÿong ki long kiba rit tam. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapteng 10 inshi bad shi phut. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kat ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki hi. Ia ka met jong ki baroh shi rynieng kaba kynthup ruh ia u tdong jong ki, la sop ia ki da u shñiuh ba Ÿong tlem ka rong. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, por wad jingbam, ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ka jaka kha khun ruh ka long kum ki Bshad Dngiem hi.

### 36.5 Kiwei pat ki jaid Bshad.

Nalor kine ki jaid Bshad ba la thoh haneng, dang don sa shi jaid ki Bshad ba lam byrñong bad ba don ruh ki jingthoh dak lieh ha ka bynta ba hapteng jong ka khlieh bad ha ka bynta ba hapteng ka khmut bad ka shyllangmat jong ki. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ryndang, shadem, kpoh bad ki bynta ba napoh ki kjat jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba byrñieh ka rong. Ia kine ki jaid Bshad la lap ba ki don kham bun ha ka thañ Ÿongnoh jong ka Jaintia Hills District bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya. Kine ki jaid Bshad ki heh kat ka Miaw. Ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, por wad jingbam, ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ka jaka kha khun ruh ka long kum ki Bshad Dngiem hi.

Ia ki Bshad ba la thoh haneng la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### **Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Bshad:**

Namar baroh ki jaid Bshad ki bam bha ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khang lad ba ki Khnai ba bun jaid kin nym ñoh lad ban roi shaba palat.

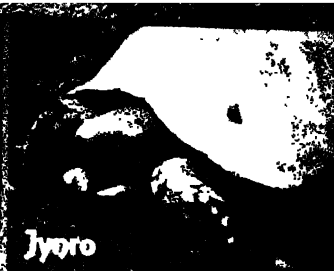
Ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ia ka doh Bshad. Kumta ngi ñoh ruh ia ka doh jong ki Bshad ban bam.

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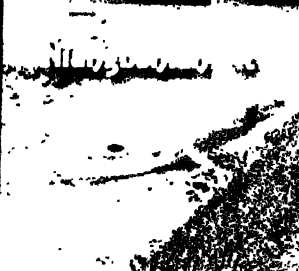
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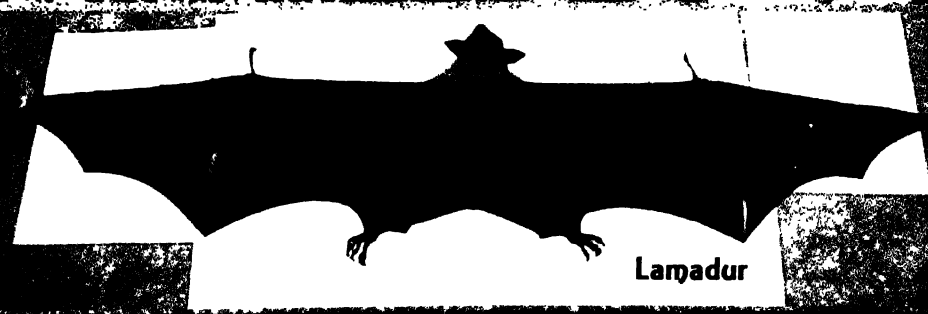
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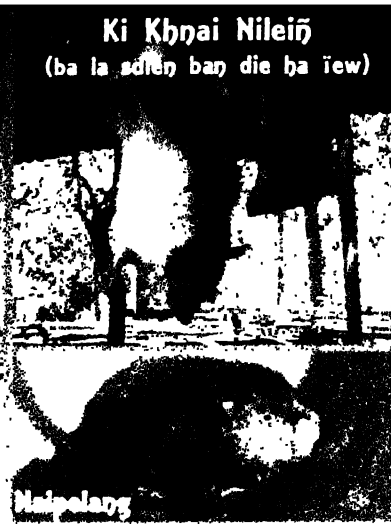
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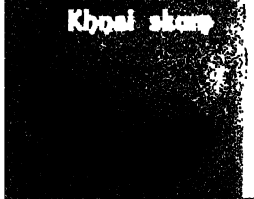
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#### 37.1 Ki Bsong ĩong.

Ki dei ki jaid Bsong kiba heh tam, ĩa kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ĩa ki kum ki Psong ĩong. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki, ki Saluangtum. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki, ki Chuna Gisim. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ĩa ki kum ki *Crab-Eating Mongoose*.

Ki Bsong ĩong haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong hapteng shi phut shiteng bad ar phut duna. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba khlem shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñiat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba ĩong ka rong. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba sngaid, ba khlaiñ bad ba tylli. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapteng 10 inshi bad shi phut. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba sngaid ba ksah bad ba khlaiñ. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nator, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, kiba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba ĩong.

Ĩa ka met jong ki Bsong ĩong la sop ĩa ki da u shñiuh uba jrong, ba khaiñ bad ba ĩong ka rong. ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka ryndang la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh uba kot khyndiat haduh ka met ba shakhmat jong ki. ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba byrsaw bthuh ka rong. ĩa u tdong jong ki la sop na trai haduh mar shiteng u tdong, da u shñiuh ba byrñong ka rong. ĩa mar shiteng u tdong haduh ka kliar u tdong pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh stem ka rong bad u long uba saphum. ĩa ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli la sop da u shñiuh ba byrñong ka rong.

Ki Bsong ĩong ki long ki jaid mrad kiba juh bad myllien ban leit wad jingbam sha ki wah. Ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban jngi bad ban ngam shapoh um. Ki kem bad ki bam ĩa ki Tham, ki Jakoid bad ĩa ki Dohkha. Ki bam ruh ĩa ki Smok Tah, da kaba bat ĩa ki ha ki shympriahkjat ba sha khmat jong ki, bad lynthaw ĩa ki halor ki maw kiba heh khnang ba kin dup pait bad ba kin ñoh ban bam ĩa ka doh ba jem, ba don hapoh ka shynrong ba eh jong ki.

Ki Bsong ĩong haba ki don ha ka jingma, ki ju pynmih ne kynshait ĩa ka kynja um kaba iwtung bha na u thied ba don ha ka 'liew eit jong ki. Kane ka jingsma iwtung kaba jur, ka pynlong ĩa kito ki mrad ba mut ban dait ĩa ki, ban phet noh.

Ki Bsong ĩong ki shong ki sah hapoh ka thliw ba don hapoh khyndew. Ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha ki Risang. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot, kaba tang ar bnai ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun hapteng 3 bad 4 tylli hapoh ki thliw ba don ha trai jong ki dieng ne ha ki krem maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki ju kha khun ruh, lai sien shi snem. Ka kmie ka long ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongbsa nongpjiah bad ka nongpynheh pynsan ĩa la ki khun. Namar ki Bsong ĩong shynrang kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Bsong, ki tang shu dep ban shongkha, ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki ĩa la ki khun ruh ka la kut noh.

Ĩa ki Bsong ĩong la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park*, bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw ba don hapoh Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest* bad hapoh ka *Umsaw Reserve Forest*. Ki kham bun sha thaiñ Khadarshnong, bad ki don ruh

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sha kiwei de ki jaka. Ha Jaintia Hills, ki kham bun sha thaiñ Hingkaria bad ki briew hangne ki khot ia ki, ki Nongtham, namar ki bam bha ia ki Tham. Ki don ruh sha ki thaiñ Khadkasla, hapoh Saipung Sirdarship, hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka. La lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 37.2 Ki Bsong Byriong Lieh.

Ki dei ki jaid Bsong kiba ar ha ka jingheh, napdeng ki jaid Bsong baroh ia kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la khot ia ki, kum ki Psong Stem Pthuh. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Saluangpum. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Chuna Raja. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Common Mongoose*.

Ki Bsong Byriong Lieh haba ki la san pura bha, ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut shiteng. Ka khlieh jong ki, ka long kaba lam nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba pyllun bad ba khlem shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba pyllun, ba phymai bad ba rit. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Narud ka shyntur jong ki, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba ñong ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba jrong shi phut shiteng bad u long ruh uba saphum u sñiuh. Ki kjat jong ki long kiba lyngkot, ba sngaid, ba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tyllı ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalar, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ia ka met jong ki Bsong Byriong Lieh la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong. Ki don ruh ki jingthoh kiba rit pyllon pyllon halor u shñiuh jong ki, kiba shong hadien kawei hadien kawei pat, ba da ka rong byrlich bad ba ñong. Ia u tdong jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba kum ka met jong ki hi. Ki Bsong Byriong Lieh ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliew ba ki la tih hi - ha trai jong ki dieng ne hapoh ki thliew maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki long ki jaid mrad ba leit wad jingbam mynstep, mynsngi bad janmiet. Ha ka por miet por synñia pat, ki thiah ki dem ha la ki thliew ki krem. Ki long ki jaid mrad kiba bam bun jaid ki jaid jingbam. Ki bam bha ia ki pylleng jong ki sim. Ki bam ruh ia ki mrad kiba rit kum ki Rabbit, ki Khnai ba bun jaid, ki Jakoid, ki Tham, ki ñiangbsiah, ki ñiangblen, ki ñiangapñing, ki ñiangbliar bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom. Ki ju faleh bad ki Bseiñ bad bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki. Namar ba ki long kiba sting bad ba shalak ki khmat, kumta ki Bseiñ kim ju kham ñoh ban puh ia ki. Ki bam ruh ia ki soh khlaw. Hynrei, ki long pat ki nongpynjot bad nongpynjulor bha ia ki Syiar. Ki ju kjit ia ka snam Syiar da kaba dait na u ryndang jong ki ne na ka bynta ka met ba don hapoh ki thapbniang jong ki. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba beh thong ia ki mrad ba shong hapoh ki thliew; lada kita ki mrad ki rung shapoh ki thliew, ki ruh ki rung shapoh ki thliew bad pyniap ia kita ki mrad, bad ki sa bam ia ka doh jong ki.

Ki Bsong Byriong Lieh ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Risang. Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba long tang 2 bnai ne 60 sngi te ki la kha khun. Ki ju kha khun ruh 3 ne 4 tylli shisien kha. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliew ba ki la tih hi - ha trai jong ki dieng ne hapoh ki thliew maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba kha khun haduh lai sien shi snem. Ka kmie ka long ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongbsa nongpjiah bad ka nongpynheh pynsan ia la ki khun. Namar ki Bsong Byriong Lieh shynrang ki tang shu dep ban shongkha shongman, ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki ia la ki khun ki kti ruh ka kut noh. Haba ki khun ki la khlaiñ bha, ka kmie jong ki ka ju ñalam ia ki ban leit beh mrad.

Ia ki Bsong Byriong Lieh la lap ba ki don hapoh ki *Balpakram Reserve Forest*, bad sha kiwei de ki khlaw kiba don hapoh Garo Hills. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Nongkhyllam*



*Reserve Forest* bad sha kiwei de ki jaka kiba don hapoh Khasi Hills Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh ka Saipung Sirdarship, ha ki khlaw ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongphyllut bad sha kiwei de ki jaka La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### 37.3 Ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit.

Ki dei ki jaid Bsong ba lai ha ka jingheh na ki jaid Bsong baroh ba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ia ki kum ki Psong wa-ptuh Stem Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Chuna Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Small Indian Mongoose*

Ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam nep Ki-shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit, ba lam pyllun bad bym don shñiuh Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit, ba lam pyllun bad ba phymai Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bñat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba rong ka rong Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba sngaid, ba lyngkot ba kshah bad ba khlañ bha Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat Ha kñiar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nator, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ ba lam kdor bad ba nep

Ia ka met jong ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jñih, ba jem ba da ka rong bthuh bad ba don ruh bad ki jingthoh ba stem ki barit barit ha baroh kawei ka met jong ki U tdong jong ki u long uba saphum bad ka rong jong u ka long kum ka met jong ki hi Ya ki kjat jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh uba long ha kajuh ka rong kumba long ka met jong ki

Ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hi - ha trai jong ki dieng ne ki thliw maw ba don bad ka khyndew Ki long ki mrad kiba wad jingbam mynstep, mynsngi bad ha ka por janmiet Ha ka por meit por synnia pat ki thiah ki dem hapoh la ki thliw Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Bsong kine ruh ki bam ia ki mrad it kum ia ki Rabit, ki Khnai ba bun jaid, ki Jakoid, ki Tham, ki ñiangbsiah ki ñiangblen ki ñiangapiing, ki ñiangbliar bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom, ki bam ruh ia ki soh khlaw Ki long ruh kiba tbit ban ialeh ne iakhun bad ki Bñeñ, bad hadien ba ki la pyniap ia ki Bsien ki bam ia ka doh jong ki Kine ruh ki long kiba pynjot bad pynjulor ia ki Syiar Bunsien ki rung ha ki sem Syiar bad kjit ia ka snam, da kaba dait na ryndang ne na ki jaka ba don hapoh thapñiang jong ki Syiar

Ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Risang Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long hapoh ar bnai Ki kha khun hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew, bad ki ju kha khun hapdeng 3 bad 4 tylli Ha ka por ba kha, ki khun ki long ki bym don shñiuh, bad kim pat lah ban peitkhmat Hadien shiteng bnai ne tam khyndiat ki sa lah ban peitkhmat Ha ka por ba ki buiñ, ki pynmih ka jingpah kaba sngewtynnad khor khor syriem kumba pah kmen ka Miaw, katkum ba la iathuh u Bah Kynia Beh Haba ki la khlañ bha, ka kmie jong ki ka ju ialam ia ki ban leit beh mrad Ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia ki khun ka hap ha ka kmie Namar kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Bsong, ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit shynrang ruh ki tang su dep ban shongkha shnongman, ka jingkitkhlieh jong ki namar ki khun ruh, ka kut noh

Ia ki Bsong Bthuh Stem Thoh Rit la lap ba ki don hapoh ka *Balpakram National Park* bad sha kiba bun ki jaka ba don hapoh Garo Hills Ha Khasi bad Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki jaka; la lap ba ki don ruh sha kiwei ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri

### 37.4 Ki Bsong Rit.

Kine ki jaid Bsong ki long kiba rit tam napdeng ki jaid Bsong baroh, ia kiba la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ha ka ktien Jaintia la tip ia ki, kum ki Bsong Waliar. Ki Biare ki khot ia ki, Achintok Saluangpum. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Merari Sala Chuna. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, lah ban khot ia ki kum ki *Lesser Striped Mongoose*.

Ki Bsong Rit haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong shi phut duna. U tdong jong ki u jrong 8 inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba nep. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba rit bha bad ym lah ban iohi ia ki namar ba tap u shñiuh ia ki. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki, don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar bad ba ñong ka rong. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba sngaid ba lyngkot, ba ksah bad ba khlañ. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nalar, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ia ka met jong ki Bsong Rit la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlh bad ba thoh ter ter kum u laiñ halor ka met jong ki, da ka rong jngum, rong bthuh, rong ñong bad rong stem. Ia u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long jngum bthuh ka rong.

Ki Bsong Rit ki don ka jingiasyiem kaba jan bha bad ki Risang. Ki long pat ki jaid mrad kiba im bad juh ban sah ha ki khlaw rit kiba don harud jong ki shnong. Ki shong ki sah ha ki thliw ba ki la tih hi ha ka khyndew, ha trai jong ki dieng ne ha ki thliw maw ba don bad ka khyndew. Ki bam ia ki khnai ba bun jaid, ia ki sim, ki pylleng jong ki sim, ki Bseiñ, ki ñiangbsiah, ki ñiangblen, ki ñiangapñing, ki ñiangbliar bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom. Lada ki ioh lad, ki kjit ia ka snam na ki Syiar, da kaba dait na ka ryndang ne na ka jaka ba don hapoh ki thapbniang jong ki.

Ki Bsong Rit ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Risang. Ka por pun khun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot bha, kaba tang hapoh ar bnai ki la kha khun. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long bym don shñiuh bad ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat. Hadien bun sngi pat, ki sa lah ban peit khmat. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki thliw, bad ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 3 bad 4 tylli shisien kha. Ki ju kha khun ruh lai sien shi snem. Kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid Bsong, ka kmie ka long ka nongri nongsumar, ka nongbsa nongpjiah bad ka nongpynheh pynsan ia la ki khun. Namar ki Bsong Rit shynrang ki tang shu dep shongkha, ka jingkitkhlieh bad ka kamram jong ki ia la ki khun ruh ka la kut noh.

Ia ki Bsong Rit la lap ba ki don ha kylleng sawdong jong ka jylla Meghalaya. La lap ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India, bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi bad ka jingpyndonkam ia ki Bsong:**

Namar ba ki Bsong ki bam bha ia ki khnai, ki ñianglartham, ki Tham, ki Bseiñ bad ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khanglad ba ki khnai, ki ñianglartham, ki tham, ki Bseiñ bad ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom, ba kin nym iohlad ban roi sha ba palat than.

“Ha ka jingleit khura ba kynsan ha kiba bun ki nongbah bahch ha ka por ban kut ka taiew, ki nongtrei jong ka *Forest Department* ki la ioh ban kurup ne kem haduh palat 1000 *kilo* u shñiuh Bsong, ia uba la phut hadien ba la pynñap pathar ia kine ki mrad ba sniew bok ne sniew nusip, bad la

ju shna ĩa ki “*Art brushes*” (Ki brut ba pyndonkam ban dro bad ban ai rong ĩa ki jingdro) da ki katto katne ki nongshna ba bha tam hapoh ka ri.”

“Na ka jingbun jong u shñiuh ba la ĩoh kem, ka la pyni ba la kumno kumno 50,000 tylli ki mrad la dep pynĩap. “Kata ka long tang ka khmut jong ka langlun thah (*Tip of Iceberg*) ba per ha duriaw” ki nongtrei jong ka *Wildlife Trust of India*, kiha la ĩarap ĩa ki nongtrei ka *Forest Department* ha kane ka jingleit khura, ki la ĩathuh, ĩa ka *UNT*.”

“Ka jingleit khura ka la sdang na Moradabad bad Sherkote hapoh Uttar Pradesh ha ka sngi saitjaiñ bad la bud da ki nongleitwad ha Delhi, Kolkata, Chennai bad Mumbai”. “Ka Moradabad bad ki thaiñ ba marjan bad ka, ka la mĩh kum ka jaka thymmei ba kongsan jong kane ka jingkhafĩ ba be-aiñ, da ka jingĩoh kurup haduh 700 kilo u shñiuh bym pat pyndonkam ki brut bad la kem ar ngut ki brierw”, u *WTI Director Aniruddha Mookerjee* u la ong.

“Katkum ka jingtohkut jong ka *WTI*, ki jaka riam ba kongsan ki long ha Ballia, Bijnare bad Gorakpur District jong ka jylla Uttar Pradesh bad hajan Vellore ha Tamil Nadu”.

“Ki jaka ba kongsan ba pynmih ĩa ki brut ki don ha Moradabad bad wat ha ki jaka khap sor jong ka Nongbah Delhi. To shu mutdur ba baroh ki brut ba pyndonkam da ki *artists* ba sngewthuh shaphang ka mariang bad da ki khynnah rit hapoh kane ka ri la pynmih ĩa ki da kaba pynĩap pathar da ki spah ki hajar tylli kine ki mrad bym don jingma kĩba long ha ka jingshisha ki paralok jong ki nongrep bad ki nongpynhiar ne pynduna ĩa ka jingbun jong ki Bseiñ bad kĩ Khnai, la ong u Mookerjee”.

“Haba pyrkhat ĩa ka jingkhraw jong ka jingpynĩap pathar, ka Sorkar ka la dei ban pynkiew kyrdan ĩa kine ki mrad sha ka *Schedule I* jong ka *Wildlife Protection Act*. Kumba long mynta, ki Bsong ki hap hapoh ka *Schedule IV* bad donkam ban ĩoh license ban pynĩap lane khañ ĩa ka jingmih ba ĩoh naki”, la ong ka *WTI*.

“Ki Bsong Byrĩong Lieh (*Common Mongoose*) la lap ĩa ki ha kylleng sawdong jong ka ri bad u shñiuh uba sop ĩa ka met jong ki u long uba bthuh ĩong sohmurit bad ba i kum ka mluh. Ha ki Bsong ba na *Northern India*, ki jinglong pyllun kum ka Sahtĩ kĩ paw bha, katba kĩba na *South* pat kaba ĩong ka paw bha”.

“Uwei u mrad u pynmih kumba 20 *grams* u shñiuh ba lah ban pyndonkam hadien ba la pynkhuid ĩa u”. “ĩa ki mrad la riam ha kĩ jingriam bad nangta la tied ne tangon haduh ba kin ĩap lane pynĩapler da kaba shoh. Nangta la phut ĩa u shñiuh da ka kti, teng teng haba u mrad u dang im”, la ong u *WTI Director*.

ĩa kane ka jingthoh haneng la sot ĩa ka na ka jingthoh, ba la mih ha ka kot khubor ‘*The Meghalaya Guardian*’, kaba la mih ha ka 13 tarik u Jylliew 2002, ha ka sla 3 halor ka heading “*Mongoose hair for art brushes: Raid unearth gory tale of Indian Wildlife*”.

“Na ki Bsong ngi ĩoh ruh ĩa ki shñiuh ba bha tam ban shna ĩa ki brut ba pyndonkam ban dro bad ban ai rong ĩa ki jingdro”.

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## Lynnong 38

### KI DKAR

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Lakang. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Sarpha. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Ki'sing. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Tortoises* ne ki *Turtles* lane ki *Terrapins*.

Ki Dkar ki long kiba bun jaid bha, don kiba heh bha, ki don pat kiba shu pdeng ka jingheh, don ruh kiba kham rit bad kiba rit tam. Don kiba im hapoh ki wah rit bad ki wahbah ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Tortoises*. Ki don ruh kiba im hapoh duriaw bad ia kine la khot ia ki ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Turtles*. Nangta pat don kiba im ha ka nan bad ki wah, ia kiba la khot ki *Terrapins* ha ka ktien Phareng.

Ki Dkar ki long ki jaid mrad kiba iapher bha ha ka dur ka dar bad kiwei pat ki mrad. Ia ka met jong ki la sop ia ka da ka shynrong shyieng, kaba eh bha bad ba long kum ka knup, ba ki brierw jong ngi ki sa khot ia ka shynrong shyieng jong ki ka knup, ia kaba ki brierw sha thain Amkoi jong ka War Jaintia ki khot ka Stu. Hynrei, ka bynta ba narud jong ka knup ka long kaba jem bad ba bit ban shet jyntah. Ka rong jong ka knup jong ki ruh ka iapher na kawei ka jaid sha kawei pat. Don kiba bthuh ka rong, don pat kiba lam jymgam stang ka rong, don ruh kiba lam byrtem bthuh ka rong. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba jlih. ba stang bad ba long lam byrtem lieh ka rong. Ia ka ngap, u ryndang bad ki kjat jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba jwat bad ka long kajuha ka rong bad ka knup jong ki. Ia ka bynta ba nador ka khlieh jong ki, la sop ia ka da ka shyieng kaba eh, kaba long ha kajuha ka rong kum ka knup jong ki hi.

### 38.1 Ki Dkar Thlen.

U Bah Rin Lamin u la iathuh ba ki Dkar thlen ne ki Lakang Thlen, ki long ki jaid Dkar kiba heh tam. Kine ki jaid Dkar haba ki la san pura bha, ki khia hapdeng 40 kilo bad 45 kilo tam. Ia ka met jong ki la sop da ka knup kaba heh bha bad ba lam byriong ka rong. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ia syriem bad ka khlieh Bsein. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba nep har har. U ryndang jong ki Dkar u long uba jriong bad ki lah ban buhrieh ia ka khlieh bad ia u ryndang jong ki shapoh ka shynrong shyieng ne ka knup jong ki. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba sniew dur, ba heh, ba ksah, ba khlain, ba khia bad ba iaid suki. Ha ki kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat. Ha ka bynta ba sha klier jong ki shympriahkjat, ha ka jaka ba nador mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlain, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh ia ki da ka snur ne ka kynja snieh ba stang, kaba long syriem kumba pyniasoh ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki Han bad ki Ksih. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkot bha bad u shu paw tang tiak.

Ki Dkar Thlen ki bam da ki dohkha, dohthli, ki shymprong, ki kha ktung, ki tham, ki smok-tah, ia ki sim ba jngi ha sla um bad ia kiba jngi shapoh um ruh kum ia ki Han ki Sim puh-dohkha bad ia kiba kum kita. Ki bam ruh ia ki puit ki khniang ba par ha ki phlang ba don harud ki wah.

Ki Dkar Thlen ki iapoikha da kaba u shynrang u buh ne tawah ia ki kjat ba shakhmat jong u halor ka met ka kynthei. Ki kjat ba shadien jong u pat, ki feng halor khyndew bad ki iapoikha artad. Ki long pat ki jaid mrad ba iaid suki ha ryngkew ne ha madan madiha. Hynrei, ki long pat kiba tbit bha ban jngi hapoh um bad ki lah ruh ban jngi sted.

Ki Dkar Thlen ki iapher ruh na kiba bun ki mrad namar, kim ju kha da ki khun, hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng. Ka rukom kha pylleng jong ki ruh ka iapher na ka rukom kha pylleng ki Syiar ne ki sim, kiba kha tang kawei shisien kha. Hynrei ki Dkar Thlen ki kha pylleng shisien kha, kat kaba dei ba kin kha. Lada ki kha 40 tylli kin kha ia baroh ki pylleng kawei hadien kawei pat ha ka juh ka sngi bad ka por. Ki ju kha pylleng ha ka thliw ba ki la khleng ha u shyiap. Ynda ki la dep kha, ki sa tap ia ki pylleng da u shyiap haduh ban da dap kata ka thliw. Hadien kanc ki leit phai pat sha ka wah na kaba ki la mih ban leit kha pylleng. Ki Dkar shynrang bad kynthei kim don jingkit khlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban psa ban pjiah bad ban pynbeh pynsan ia la ki khun.

Ki pylleng ba ki la kha hapoh ki thliw, hadien katto katne taiew, ki bthei noh bad sa mih ki khun Dkar. Ki mar ia mih napoh thliw, ki khun Dkar ki ialeh ban poi shapoh ki nan bad ki wah khnang ba kin dup lait ban shah bam na ki mrad khlaw bad ki sim kiba heh kiba mut ban bam ia ki kin nym ioh ban leh kumta.

Kumba 60 snem mynshwa, ia ki Dkar Thlen lah ban lap ha ki wah kiba tuid sha Bangladesh, ha ki bynta jong ki wah ruh kiba don hajan Bangladesh hi, kum ha ka wah Myntdu, wah Myngngot, ki wah ba don sha thain Shella, ki wah ba don sha thain Baghmara bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki bynta ka Meghalaya ba don marjan bad ka Bangladesh. Hynrei kumba long mynta, ia ki Dkar Thlen ba kiew na Bangladesh la ioh ia ki ha kitei ki wah tang teng khat lano eh. Kham bun sien hi la wan die tuh ki khar Bangladesh ia ki shapoh Meghalaya.

### 38.2 Kiwei pat ki jait Dkar.

Nangta, don sa ki Dkar kiba jrong hapdeng shi phut tam bad ar phut duna. Ka rong jong ka knup jong ki ka long kaba byrtem bthuh. Ki Dkar kiba pdeng ka jingheh ki jrong hapdeng shi phut bad shi phut shiteng. Na kine, don kiba bthuh ka rong bad don ruh kiba lam jyrngam stang ka rong. Ki Dkar ba kham rit ki jrong hapdeng shi phut duna bad shi phut bad ka rong jong ki ka long kaba bthuh. Ki Dkar barit tam ki jrong hapdeng 10 inshi bad shi phut duna khyndiat had ka rong jong ki ka long kaba lam byriong bthuh. Baroh kine ki jaid Dkar, ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, ka rukom shongkha bad ka rukom kha pylleng ka long kumjuh kumba long ki Dkar Thlen hi. Ki Dkar ba kham heh ki kha pylleng ruh kham bun tylli. Ki Dkar kiba shu biang ka jingheh ruh ki kha pylleng kat ban shu biang. Ki Dkar ba kham rit ruh ki kha pylleng kham duna bad ki Dkar barit tam ruh, ki kha pylleng khyndiat tylli. Ki pylleng jong ki ruh ki long kiba pyllun kum ka bol rit. Tangba ia kine dang lah ban lap ia ki ha kiba bun ki wah ba don hapoh Meghalaya.

U Bah Webster Laloo u iathuh ba ha ki por ba mynshwa, ki ju bud ia ka lynti ba ki Dkar ki leit phai sha ka wah (lah ban iohi ia ka lynti ba ki iaied namar ba ki iaied halor ki shyiap) bad ynda poi ha ka jaka ba kut kata ka lynti, ki ju tih ia ka thliw ha kaba ki Dkar ki la kha pylleng bad ki ju ioh bun tylli ki pylleng. Ki pylleng jong ki Dkar ki long kiba bang shngiam bha ban bam.

Une u Nongthoh u la ioh ban sngap ia ka jingbatai ha kawei na ki *Programme* ba ki pyni ia ki Dkar, ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*. Ha kata ka *Programme* la batai ba ki Dkar ki lah ban im haduh 300 snem tam.

U Bah Webster Laloo u la iathuh ruh ba arsien u la ioh ia ki Dkar, da kaba khwai pyndem da u shana ha ka por ba ki leit khwai sha Panimore, kaba long kawei na ki thwei kaba heh bha kaba don ha ka wah Kupli. Baroh ar tylli ki Dkar ba u la ioh ki long kiba bthuh ka rong. U la iathuh ba ki Dkar ba u la ioh, kawei kawei ka khia kumba 10 kilo tam.

## KI DKAR

Katkum ba une u Nongthoh u la iohi bad iohsngew ruh ia ka jingbatai ha kawei na ka jingpyni ia ki Dkar, ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, ki Dkar kiba heh tam ha ka pyrthei, ki dei ki jaid Dkar ia kiba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ki *Giant Galapagos Tortoises*, kiba im ha ka dewlynnong ba ki khot *Galapagos Island*. Kine ki long ki jaid Dkar ba radbah bad ki im ruh ha ryngkew.

U Bah Lee Shylla ba na ka shnong Pasadwar, u la iathuh ba ha Pasadwar don kawei ka madan kaba heh bad ba iar bha, kaba ki khot ka madan dem Lakang (Lakang ka mut Dkar). Hynrei, mynta ki la duna bha namar ka jingpyniap pathar ia ki bad ka jingshim jong ki bried ia ki pylleng jong ki na ki thliw ba ki la kha ia ki.

Ia ki Dkar la lap ba ki don hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka Pyrthei.

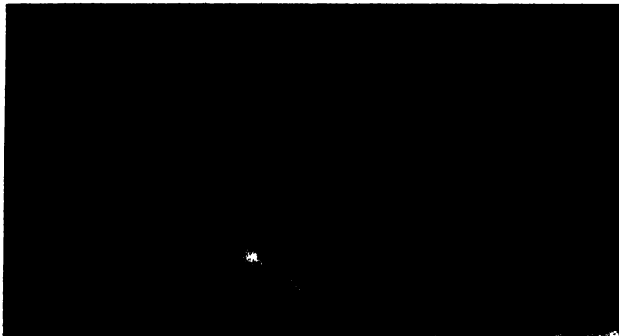
### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ka Dkar:

Ki bried naduh ka por hyndai hynthai haduh kine ki sngi ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki Dkar bad ia ki pylleng jong ki ruh. Ka doh bad ki pylleng jong ki ruh, ki long kiba bang shngiam ban bam.

Katkum ba la pyni bad batai ruh ha kawei na ka jingpyni ia ki Dkar ha ka *Discovery Channel*, lyngba ka *Television*, sha ri Sepngi don ki bried kiba ri ia ki Dkar ha la ki iing ki sem. Ki batai ruh ba ki Dkar ba ri ha iing ki bam wat ia ki khfiang, ia ka doh bym pat shet bad ia ki jhur. Kumta ka long kaba suk bha ban ri ia ki.

Na kpoh jong ki katto katne ki Dkar la ju ioh ia ki maw ba ki khot ki Maw Dkar ne ki Moo Lakang. Ia kine ki maw ki kobiraij ki ju shna dawai na ki. Ki long kum ki Masi ba don maw hapoh ka kpoh jong ki. Ia ki maw ba ioh na ki Masi ruh ki Kobiraij ki pyndonkam ban shna dawai ia ki ruh.

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Kawei na ki jaid Dkar ba lap ha Meghalaya.

## Lynnong 39

### KI JYNRO

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Phro. Sha thain War Jaintia pat la tip ia ki kum ki Hynro. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Satel. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Kangkhak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat lah ban khot ia ki ki *Lesser Tortoises*.

Hapoh Meghalaya ki Jynro ki don ar jaid, ki Jynro heh bad ki Jynro rit.

### 39.1 Ki Jynro Heh.

Ki Jynro heh, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong hapdeng 7 inshi bad 9 inshi. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad la sop ia ka da ka shynrong shyieng ia kaba la tip ruh kum ka knup. Ka rong jong ka Knup ka long kaba byriong bad ki don ruh ki jingthoh lain ba iiong ka rong. Hapdeng ka met jong ki, don ka jingat ba kham at bha shalor. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh ba jlih, ba jem kaba lah ban long kaba lieh ka rong ne kaba byrlich stem ka rong. Ka khlich jong ki ka iasyriem ia ka khlich Bsein. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ki bnaiat jong ki, ki long kiba eh, ba khlain bad ba nep bha. Ki lah ruh ban buhrich ia ka khlich bad ia u ryndang jong ki hapoh ka knup jong ki. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba sniew dur, ba lyngkot, ba ksah, ba khlain bad ki long ruh kiba iaid suki. Ha ki kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ka jaka ba nalog, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlain, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pyniasoh ia ki da ka snur ne ka kynja snieh kaba stang, kaba long syriem kumba pyniasoh ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki Dkar. U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba lyngkot bha bad u shu paw tang tiak.

Ki Jynro Heh ki long ruh kiba wad jingbam ha ryngkew. Ki bam bha ia ka Lungsiej, ki Jhur khlaw, ia ki khniang bad ia u wieh. U Bah Rin Lamin u iathuh ba ki Jynro Heh ba ri ha iing ki bam wat ia ka ja ruh. Wat la ki wad jingbam sha ryngkew, hynrei, ki long pat kiba tbit bha ban jingi. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba im slem bha.

Ki Jynro heh ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Dkar. Ki long ruh ki mrad bym kha da ki khun. Ki kha da ki pylleng bad ka rukom kha pylleng jong ki ruh ka iapher na ka rukom kha pylleng ki Syiar bad ki Sim kiba kha pylleng kawei shisien kha. Ki Jynro Heh ki kha pylleng kumba kha ki Dkar bad ki ju kha lut shisien kha ia ki pylleng ba ki dei ban kha, kawei hadien kawei pat ha ka juh ka sngi bad ka por ruh. Ki ju kha pylleng hapoh ka thliw ba ki la tih hi ha u shyiap. Mar ia dep kha pylleng, ki tep ia ki pylleng da u shyiap haduh ban da dap kata ka thliw ha kaba ki la kha ia ki pylleng. Nangta ki leit phai sha ki wah na kaba ki la mih ban leit kha pylleng. Ki pylleng jong ki ruh ki long kiba pyllun kum ki jong ki Dkar. Ki Jynro heh shynrang bad kynthei kim don jingkit khlich ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun.

Ki pylleng ba ki la kha hapoh ki thliw, ki bthei noh hadien katto katne taiw bad sa mih ki khun Jynro Heh. Mar ia mih napoh thliw, ki khun Jynro Heh ki ialeh katba lah ban poi shapoh ki nan bad ki wah, khnang ba ki mrad khlaw bad ki sim kiba heh ba mut ban bam ia ki kin nym ioh ban leh kumta.

### 39.2 Ki Jynro Rit.

Ki Jynro Rit, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong hapdeng san inshi bad hynriew inshi. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba pyllun bad la sop ia ka da ka shynrong shyieng ia kaba khot ruh ka Knup. Ka rong jong ka knup ba tap ia ka met jong ki Jynro Rit ka long kaba byriong bad kaba don ka jingthoh laiñ ba daka rong stem. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba stang, ba jlih bad ba lieh ka rong, hynrei, don ruh kiba long byrlieh stem ka rong. Ha kane ka snieh ruh don bad ka jingthoh laiñ ha ka. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kum ka khlieh Bseiñ. Ki lah ruh ban buhrieh ia ka khlieh bad u ryndang jong ki hapoh ka knup jong ki. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, ki bym da wandur wandar bha, kiba khlaiñ, ba ksah, bad kiba ñaid suki. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha. Ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki la pynñasoh ia ki da ka snur ne ka kynja snieh syriem kumba pynñasoh ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki Dkar.

Ka rukom bam, ka rukom ñapoikha, ka rukom kha pylleng jong ki Jynro Rit bad ka rukom bthei ki pylleng ban mih ki khun Jynro Rit, ka long kumba long ka jong ki Jynro Heh hi.

Ki Jynro heh bad ki Jynro Rit ki long kiba sngewtynnad ban dem halor ki dieng ba don harud jong ki wah, ban syaid sngi. Hynrei lada don ki briew ba mut ban kem ia ki, ki ryngkoh noh shapoh wah.

La lap ba ki Jynro heh bad Jynro Rit ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri ka Pyrthei.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Jynro:**

Na ki Jynro Heh bad Jynro Rit ki briew ki ñoh ban bam ia ka doh bad ia ki pylleng ba bang bad shngiam ban bam.

Namarba ki long ruh kiba bam ia ki khñiang, kumta ki ñarap ruh ban khanglad ba ki khñiang kin nym ñoh ban roi sha ba palat than.

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## Lynnong 40

### KI LAMADUR BAD KI LYMBIT

#### 40.1 Ki Lamadur.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ba la tip kum ki Kyllamadur ha ka ktien Jaintia. Ha ka ktien Biate ki khot ia ki ki Bâk Lian. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Do'bak Dalgipa. Ha ka ktien phareng pat la tip ia ki, kum ki *Flying Foxes*.

Ka khlieh bad ka shyntur jong ki ka iasyriem bha bad ka jong ki Myrsiang, dei namar kane ka daw ba ki Phareng ki khot ia ki, ki *Flying Foxes*.

Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 9 inshi ne tam khyndiat. Ki thapbniang jong ki, ki long kiba heh bha bad na ka tduh ha ka tduh jong ka thapbniang ka jrong haduh 4 phut kawei kawei ka thapbniang. Ki khia pat hapteng 550 *gram* bad 600 *gram* tam. Ka khlieh bad ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba heh bad la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrsaw bñuh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ia u ryndang jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam byrtem. Ia ka met pat la sop da u shñiuh ba lam bñuh saw malu mala. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba pyllun. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong, tang kaba bun ka bynta ki iasoh lang bad ki thapbniang jong ki. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong bad ki don san tylli ha kawei pa kawci ka kjat. Ha ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba jrong, ba kdor pyrkhung bad ba nep har har. Ha ki bynta ka shalor ki thapbniang jong ki, mih kawei ka shympriah'ti kaba jrong ha kawei pa kawci ka thapbniang. Ha kine ki shympriah'ti ruh mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba jrong pyrkhung bad ba nep har har. Ki bniat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha. Ki thapbniang ba heh bad pyiar bha ki long kiba ieng tlem ka rong.

U Bah Rin Lamin u iathuh ba ki Lamadur ha ka por sngi ki dem ne thiah da ka kynhun ha ki tnad jong ki dieng kiba heh. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki, kibat pynskhem bha ia ka tnad dieng, kumta ka khlieh jong ki ka noh shapoh kumba sdien. Mar ia kem iöngreñ ki her na ka jaka ba ki dem ban leit wad jingbam. U iathuh ruh ba ki Lamadur haba ki leit wad jingbam, ki ia her kawei hadien kawei pat bad ki long ruh kiba pynjulo bha ia ki soh ba bun jaid ba thung ki briew. Ia ki soh, ki ktha bad nguid tang ia ki um jong ki soh. Ia ka met u soh pat ki khlieh ia ka sha madan madiyah. Ki kjit ruh ia ki um bathiang na ki syntiew.

Ki Lamadur ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Syllih. Ka por punkhun jong ki ka long hapteng 4 bnai tam bad 5 bnai. Ki ju kha khun ruh iwei shi snem. Ki ju kha khun ha u Rymphang. Ha kawei na ki *programme* ba la pyni ha ka *National Geographic Channel* shaphang ki Lamadur iyngba ka *Television*, une u Nongthoh u la iöhi ia ka jingpyni ba ka Lamadur ka dang kha khun halor ka tnad jong u dieng ba ka dem. Ka khlieh jong ka, ka hap sharum kumba sdien. Ha ka por ba kha, mih shwa ka khlieh bad sa mih ka met baroh. Ha kata ka por i khun i long i bym don shñiuh bad i sa par suki sha ka shadem jong ka kmie jong i. Ka kmie ka hap ban kit ia i khun ha ka met jong ka kat shaba ka leit, tad haduh ba in da khlaiñ bha bad lah ban im marwei.

U Bah J.S. Laloo ha u snem 1968 u la siat ia kawei ka Lamadur hajan ka iing khun jong u kaba don ha Jañaw Land Suna Lane, Shillong. Ha ka por ba u siat ia kata ka Lamadur, ka dang bam soh shur halor uwei u dieng soh shur ba don marjan bad ka iing khun jong u. Nangta u la shet ia ka doh jong ka, bad hadien ba u la dep bam u la iathuh ba ka doh jong ka, ka long kaba bang. Ha u snem

## KI LAMADUR BAD KI LYMBIT

1988 u Bah B. Marboh u la ïoh ban khawiah ne tynruh ban pynhap ïa ka Lamadur ba la ïap na ka jingring ka bor ding electric bad ka la sah kut ruh halor ki sainar *electric* kiba don ha ka ïing Sorkar ba sah u kthaw jong u ha Kench's Trace. U ruh u la shet ïa ka doh jong ka bad bam ruh ïa ka, bad u la ïathuh ba ka doh jong ka, ka long kaba bang.

Ïa ki Lamadur la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Lamadur:

Ka jingmyntoi ba kongsan eh ba ngi ïoh na ki Lamadur ka dei ba ngi ïoh ban bam ïa ka doh jong ki, ym dei tang ki briew hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya ba bam ïa ka doh jong ki hynrei, kiba bun ki briew kiba don sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri ruh ki bam bha ïa ka doh jong ki.

## 40.2 Ki Lymbit.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ïa kiba la tip, kum ki Labit ha ka ktien Jaintia. Ha ka ktien Biate ki khot ïa ki ki Bâk. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki, ki Do'bak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ïa ki kum ki *Bats*.

Ki Lymbit, wat la ki long ki jaid mrad kiba lah ban her sha suiñ bneng kumba her ki sim hynrei, kim kha da ki pylleng kumba kha ki sim; ki kha da ki khun.

Ki Lymbit ki long kiba kham rit shibun ïa ki Lamadur. U Bah Rin Lamin u la ïathuh ba ki Lymbit ki don bun jaid. Kiba heh eh napdeng jong ki, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong tang 3 inshi tam bad u tdong u jrong shi inshi. Kiba ar ha ka jingheh - ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 2 inshi tam bad u tdong u jrong 2 inshi. Kiba rit eh - ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong tang shi inshi tam, bad u tdong jong ki u lyngkot khyndiat ïa ka met jong ki. Ha baroh ki jaid Lymbit u tdong jong ki u long uba ïasoh lang bad ka thapbniang jong ki.

Ka khlieh jong ki ka don ka jingïasyriem bad ka khlieh Lamadur hynrei, ka long kaba kham rit shibun ban ïa ka jong ki Lamadur. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ïeng kum ki shkor Miaw. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ki kjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong hynrei, kaba bun ka bynta jong ki kjat ka ïasoh bad ka thapbniang jong ki. Ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ki long kiba jrong bad kiba rit. Ha kliar ne khmut jong ki shympriahkjat jong ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaifi, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Da ka jingïarap jong ki shympriahkjat bad ki tyrsim jong ki, ki lah ban dem halor ki tnad dieng. Ki thapbniang jong ki, ki long kiba heh bad ba jrong. Ki kham heh bad kham jrong shibun ban ïa ka met jong ki. Ka rong jong ki thapbniang jong ki ka long kaba ïong tlem. Ha ka bynta ba shalor jong ki thapbniang jong ki ka long kaba ïong tlem. Ha ka bynta ba shalor jong ki thapbniang mih ar tylli ki shympriah'ti, kawei na ka liang ka thapbniang ka mon bad kawei pat na ka liang ka thapbniang ka diang. Kine ki shympriah'ti ar tylli ki long kiba jrong bad kiba don tyrsim kumba long ki tyrsim kjat jong ki. Kine ki tyrsim ruh ki ïarap ïa ki ha ka por ba ki dem ban bat ïa ki tnad dieng.

Ïa ka met jong kiba bun ki Lymbit la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba lyngkot, ba khah bad ba lam byrïong ka rong. Hynrei, don ruh kiba ïa ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba lam bthuh ka rong.

Ki Lymbit ki long ki mrad ba leit wad jingbam ha ka por janmiet. Hynrei, la iohi ruh ba ki her ha ka por step bad wat ha ka por sngi ruh, haba ka bneng ka dum. Ki don ki jaid Lymbit kiba bam ia ki soh, tangba ki nguid tang ia ka um jong ki soh; ia ka met jong ki soh pat ki khlei ia ka sha madan madiyah. Ki don pat ki jaid Lymbit kiba bam ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid bad ki ju kem ruh ia ki khñiang ba her ha suiñ da ka shyntur jong ki, hynrei, ki bam tang ia ka bynta ba jem jong ki khñiang, katba ia ka bynta ba eh ba don ha ki khñiang ki ksiah pat, ki khlei ia ki sha madan madiyah.

Ki Lymbit ki long ki mrad kiba kham juh bad sngewtynnad bha ban shong ban sah hapoh ki krem ki kroh, hapoh ki krem pubon, hapoh ki thliew dieng bad wat hapoh ki tnum iing. Kiba sah hapoh ki krem ki kroh ki long kiba don da ki spah tylli. Kiba sah pat hapoh ki krem pubon ki long kiba iasah lang da ki hajar tylli.

U Bah Julius L. R. Marak u la iathuh ba hapoh ka krem pubon Siju ba donnam tam ha Garo Hills, ia kaba ki trai shnong ki khot ia ka, ka Do'bakkol kaba mut ka krem pubon jong ki Lymbit. Hangne da ki hajar tylli ki Lymbit ki shong ki sah. U la iathuh ruh ba hapoh ka krem pubon Matehakol, kaba don hajan ka shnong Patalgittim shajan Nongalbibra bad ha ka krem pubon Mangmrang kaba don ha Dambo-Rongjeng, kaba ingai kumba shi kilometer na ka shnong Dambo, ha kine ki krem ruh don da ki hajar tylli ki Lymbit kiba shong ba sah hapoh jong ki.

U Bah Hatdoh Pohsnem ba na ka shnong Nongtalang, u la iathuh ba hapoh ka krem Rabiang, kaba don hapoh ka shnong Nongtalang, hangne ki Lymbit da ki hajar tylli ki shong ki sah.

Ha u snem 1982 une u Nongthoh bad u Bah Ahmed Hussain, ki la leit ban shondur ia kawei ka krem pubon kaba don harud ka shnong Syndai. khnang ban pynmih ia kita ki dur ha ka *Almanac* ne ka *Calendar*, ba ju pynmih man la ka snem da ka *Directorate of Information & Public Relations* jong ka Sorkar Meghalaya. Haba la rung hapoh kane ka krem pubon, lah ban shondur tang ia ka kamra ba don shakhmat eh jong kane ka krem pubon namar, sha ki kamra ba kham shapoh ki long kiba jur than ka jingdum; kumta, ym lah ban shondur ia ki namar, ngim don ki *electric bulb* kiba khlain ban pynshai ia ki. Hadien ba la shondur ia ka kamra ba shakhmat, une u Nongthoh bad katto katne ngi la leit rung shapoh ki katto katne ki kamra jong kata ka pubon, da kaba rah ia ki ding prew. Hapoh kawei ka kamra la lap ba don da ki hajar tylli ki Lymbit, kiba shong ba sah ha kata ka kamra. Ha ka bynta ba hapdeng jong ka sad jong kata ka kamra don kawei ka thliew, na kaba kita ki Lymbit ki lah ban mih napoh kata ka krem bad ban rung ruh shapoh jong ka.

Ki Lymbit ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Lamadur. Ka por shongkha jong ki, ka long bunsien ha ka por synrai. Ki ju kha khun ruh tang iwei shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, i khun i long i bym pat mih shñiuh.

La lap ba ki Lymbit ki don, ha kylleng jong ka jylla Meghalaya. La lap ruh ba ki don sha kiwei pat, ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kylleng ki ri jong ka pyrthei.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Lymbit:**

Ki jaid Lymbit ba bam ia ki khñiang ki ksiah, ki iarap ban khanglad ba ki khñiang ki ksiah, ba kin nym ioh ban roi sha ba palat than. Ki bam ruh ia ki skaiñ pyrjong, kiba long ki nongkit ia ka jingpang khieshohrih, bad kiba dait bad pynshitom ruh ia ki briew. Kumta ki iarap ruh ban khanglad, ba ki skaiñ pyrjong kin nym ioh ban roi sha ba palat than.

Ki don ruh ki briew kiba bam ia ka doh jong ki Lymbit. Kumta, na ki Lymbit la ioh ruh ia ka doh, ba bit ban bam ki briew.

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### KI KHNAI BAD KI DKHAN

U Bah M.M. Thaiang u la iathuh ba ki Dkhan ki don lai jaid. Kiba lieh, kiba iöng bad kiba saw ka rong. Kiba lieh ki long kiba heh tam, kiba iöng ki long kiba ar ha ka jingheh bad kiba saw ki long kiba rit eh. Kumta khnang ban suk ban kynmaw, ban pule bad ban thoh shaphang jong ki, nangne sha khmat yn thoh noh ki Dkhan Lieh, ki Dkhan iöng bad ki Dkhan Saw.

#### 41.1 Ki Dkhan Lieh.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khan. Sha thaiñ Nongtalang jong ka War Jaintia, la khot ia ki ki Han. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Ibui Alian. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Hoary Bamboo Rats*, kiba long ki jaid Khnai ba heh tam, ba la lap hapoh ka jylla Meghalaya.

Ki Dkhan Lieh ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Phareng kum ki *Hoary Bamboo Rats*, ki dei ki jaid Dkhan kiba heh tam. Haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki Dkhan Lieh ka jrong hapdeng shi phut duna bad shi phut ar inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapdeng 3 bad 4 inshi. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba heh bad ba lam pyllun. Ki skhor jong ki ki long kiba rit bad bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun malu mala. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli na ka tyngam ba narum. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba heh, ba jrong, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki baroh saw tylli ki long kiba sngaid, ba ksah, ba khlaiñ, bad ba lyngkot. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki, ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba khlaiñ, ba eh, ba lam kdor bad ba nep har har. Ka met jong ki ka long kaba sngaid bad ba tylli. Ia ka met jong ki Dkhan Lieh la sop da u shñiuh ba rben, ba khah bad ba lieh ka rong kum u ñiuhlieh. Ia u tdong jong ki ruh la sop da u shñiuh ba lieh ka rong.

Ki Dkhan Lieh ki juh bad sngewtynnad ban shong ban sah hapoh ki thliw kiba kham jylliew, ia kiba ki la tih hi da kaba khlong ia ka khyndew, da ki tyrsim ba khlaiñ bad ba nep jong ki. Ia kine ki thliw ba ki shong ki sah, ki ju tih ia ki harud ki wah, ha trai ki dieng ki siej bad ha ki jaka phlang ba don bad ki phlang ba jrong ban ker ia ki thliw jong ki. Haba ki don hapoh ka thliw, ki ju set ne kah ia ka lynti ban rung shapoh thliw da ka khyndew.

Ki Dkhan Lieh ki ju leit wad jingbam ha ka por kem iöngreiñ ne tang shu sdang dum. Ki bam ia ki 'lang lung, ia ki sla dieng, ia ka lungsiej bad ia ka tynrai jong ki siej. U Bah Bniiah Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Dkhan, ki long kiba myllien bad smat bha ban bam ia ki thied bad ki tynrai jong ki siej. Ha ka por ba ki dang bam ia kine, ka mih ka jingsawa kaba jam bad ba riew, "Khrud-khrud-khrud". Hynrei, ki long pat ki mrad ki bym ju pynjutor ia ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynriew.

Ki khmat barit jong ki Dkhan Lieh, ki long kiba tlot bor bad kim lah ban iöhi bha. Kumta kham suk ban iöhi ia ki. Hynrei, ka long pat kaba mynsaw ban kem ia ki da ki kti, namar ka jingdait jong ki ka long kaba jur bha ka jingpang, bad ki dien bniat jong ka jingdait jong ki ruh ka long kaba ngam jylliew bha. Haba ki shah khang kdong, ki ju pynmih ia ki bniat ba nep jong ki, bad ki pyrsad dom tyngheh "Phia-Phia-Phia". Ki babun ki briew jong ngi bad kiwei pat ki jaid riwulum, ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki.

Ki Dkhan Lieh ki *īapoikha* kumba *īapoikha* kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw; ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha. Ka por ri khun jong ki ka long kaba lyngkot, kaba tang hapoh lai bnai tam, bad ki ju kha khun lai sien shi snem. Hynrei, wat la katta ruh kim ioh ban roi namar ki briew ki bang bha ban bam ia ka doh jong ki. Kiwei pat ki mrad ba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong ki mrad ruh, ki bam bha ia ki. Teng khat, ki briew haba ki tih ia ki Dkhan ha ki thliw ba ki shong ki sah, ki ju lap ia ki khun rit jong ki. Kumta ki shim ia kita ki khun bad rah ia ki sha la iing. Ynda poi ha iing ki buh ia ki hapoh ki tin umphniang bam ne umphniang sharak ba la dep pynkhuid, bad bsa ia ki da ki sla ba lung bad ki lungsiej haduh ba kin da heh, bad ki sa pynīap ia ki bad bam shngiam ia ka doh ba bang jong ki.

Ia ki Dkhan Lieh la lap ba ki don ha kiba bun ki bynta ka Garo Hills, khamtam ha ki jaka ba dang bun bad kynrei bha ki siej ki shken. Ha Khasi Hills, la lap ba ki don hapoh *Nongkhyllam Reserve Forest*, sha thaiñ Sohra sha kiba bun ki bynta jong ka West Khasi Hills bad Ri Bhoi. Ha Jaintia Hills, la lap ba ki dang don bun hapoh ka Elaka Labang – Nongphyllut, hapoh Saipung Sirdarship, sha thaiñ Khatkasla, Khanduli, Nongtalang, Huroi, Hingkaria bad sha kiwei kiwei de ki jaka. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### 41.2 Ki Dkhan Iōng bad ki Dkhan Saw.

Ki long ki jaid Dkhan kiba ar ha ka jingheh bad ki kham rit khyndiat ia ki Dkhan Lieh. Ha ka ktien Phareng lah ban khot ia ki *Black Bamboo Rats*. Ki Dkhan Saw pat ki dei ki jaid Dkhan kiba rit tam ki kham rit khyndiat ia ki Dkhan Iōng. Ha ka Ktien Phareng la tip ia ki kum ki *Bay Bamboo Rats*. Ki Dkhan Iōng bad ki Dkhan Saw ki *īasyriem* bha ka dur ka dar, ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, ka rukom *īapoikha*, bad ka jaka shong jaka sah bad ki Dkhan Lieh. Ki shu *īapher* tang ha ka rong ka rup bad ha ka jingheh bad jingrit. Baroh lai jaid ki Dkhan, ki long ki bym ju pynjot ia ka rep ka riang bad ka thung ka tep jong u khun bynriew. Katba ki briew pat ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki.

Ia ki Dkhan baroh lai jaid la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### 41.3 Ki Khnai Dieng.

Ki dei ki jaid Khnai ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Yirmai. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki Indian Tree Shrews.

Ki Khnai Dieng haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong shi phut tam. U tdong jong ki pat u jrong 10 inshi. Ia ka bynta ba nalog jong ka met jong ki la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byriong bthuh ka rong. Katba ia ka bynta ba napoh jong ka met jong ki pat, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrlied ka rong. Ia u tdong jong ki ruh la sop ia u da u shñiuh ba long ha ka juh ka rong bad ka met jong ki. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ieng, ba lam pyllun bad bym don shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat ba bun jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba ñiar bad ba iōng ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nalog bad ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaif bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha klair ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalog, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaif, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

## **KI KHNAI BAD KI DKHAN**

Ki Khnai Dieng ki im da kaba bam ĩa ki thied dieng, ki soh dieng ba bun jaid, ki thied phlang bad ki shylluit ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Kine ki jaid khnai barabor ki wad jingbam halor ki dieng bad ki jyrmī. Hynrei, teng teng la ju ĩohi ba ki wad jingbam wat ha madan madiāh ruh.

Ki Khnai Dieng ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Kĩ kha khun ruh hapdeng 7 bad 10 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ki ju kha khun ruh ar sien shĩ snem ha ka por Lyiur hapdeng u bnai Jymnang bad u Jylliew bad ha ka por ot kba ha shiteng u Nailur bad u Risaw. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum ba ki la shna hi da ki sla dieng ba la ĩap, u lang ĩap bad da ki kynja sohpaillen ba tyrkhong ba ju mih halor ki tnad dieng. Ki shong ki sah hapoh ki thliw ki krem ba don hapoh kyndew lane hapoh ki synrang. ĩa ki skum jong ki ruh ki buh hapoh ki thliw ki krem bad hapoh ki synrang.

Ki Khnai Dieng ki ju pynmih ruh ĩa ka jingpah kaba sawa ‘khek-kheh-khek’, teng teng pat haba ki la ngat ha ki jingriam ba la riam ki briew, kum ha ka Miaw–Tasam ne ka khnap nar bad ha ka lyngkhung (ka jaid trap ba ki riam ĩa ki mrad), ki ju pah bad lynĩiar kum u Sniang. Ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ĩa ka doh jong kine ki jaid Khnai.

La lap ba ki Khnai Dieng ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### **Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngĩ ĩoh na ki Khnai Dieng.**

Na ki Khnai Dieng ngi ĩoh ĩa ka doh jong ki ban bam.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ĩa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ĩa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseĩn ruh ki bam bha ĩa kine ki jaid Khnai.

## **41.4 Ki Khnai Nileĩn.**

ĩa ka kyrteng jong kine ki jaid khnai, la shim na ka ktien Jaintia kiba khot ĩa kum kine ki jaid khnai, ki Khne Nileĩn.

Ki Khnai Nileĩn haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 8 bad 10 inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapdeng 7 bad 8 inshi. ĩa ka bynta ba nador jong ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ka da u shĩiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrĩong lieh ka rong. Katba ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shĩiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lieh ka rong. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ĩeng kum ki shkor jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba khlaiĩ ban ĩohi bad ki heh kum ki khmat jong kiba bun ki jaid Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiĩ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba ĩiar bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba naneng bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ bad ba nep har har.

Ki Khnai Nileĩn ki im da kaba bam ĩa ki thied dieng, ki thied phlang, ki soh dieng ba bun jaid bad ĩa ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Kine ki dei ruh ki ‘Nai lum. ĩa kine ki jaid Khnai ruh, ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ĩa ka doh jong ki.

Ki Khnai Nilieñ ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 7 bad 10 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih halor ka met jong ki. Ki ju kha khun ruh lai sien shi snem, kata ka long ba ki kha khun shisien saw bnai. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la thaw hi, hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew.

U Ma Homphry Rymbai, uba na ka shnong Tuber-Kmai-Shnong, u la ïathuh ba ki Khnai Nilieñ ki long kiba stad bha ban shna ïa ka thliw ba ki shong ki sah. Nyngkong ki ngam kumba katto katne shapoh khyndew bad ki sa tih ïa ka lynti kaba jrong kumba ar ne lai phut ka lynter hapoh khyndew. Nangta ki kiew pat kumba shi phut tam shalor na kane ka jakabad ki tih lynti sa kumba shi phut ei ei bad buh skum hangta. Na kaba don ka skum ruh ki shna lynti sa kumba shi phut tam. Haba ki mih shabar jong kane ka thliw ha ka jaka ban mih, hangne ki ju khang ïa ka da ka khyndew. Ynda ki wanphai, lada ka plie ka jaka rung, ki shu kynthih bad kim rung beit. Namarba ki stad ban shna ïa ka thliw ba ki shong ki sah, kumta ki briew ki bym pat tip bha ïa ka rukom im jong ki hapoh ka krem, bunsien kim nym lap ne ïoh ïa kine ki jaid Khnai haba ki tih ïa ki

Ïa ki Khnai Nilieñ la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Khnai Nilieñ.**

Na ki Khnai Nilieñ ngi ïoh ïa ka doh jong ki ban bam

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ïa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ïa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ïa kine ki jaid Khnai.

## 41.5 Ki Khnai Nisam.

Ïa ka kyrteng jong kine ki khnai ruh la shim na ka ktien ki Jaintia kiba khot ïa kine ki jaid khnai kum ki Khne Nisam

Ki Khnai Nisam, haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 6 bad 7 inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong kat ka met jong ki hi. Ïa ka bynta ba nalor jong ka met jong ki la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih, bad ba lam byriong saw ka rong. Katba ïa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrlich ka rong. U tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ïeng bad ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiwei pat ki Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba ñiar bad ba ïong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nalor bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalor mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Nisam ki long ki jaid khnai kiba bam bun jaid ki jaid jingbam kum ïa u kba, u Khaw, ka ja, ki phan Karo, ki jhur ki jhep, ki thied dieng, ki thied phlang bad ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang.

## KI KHNAI BAD KI DKHAN

Ki Khnai Nisam ki ðapoikha kumba ðapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun hapoh ki skum ba ki shna ha ki thliw hapoh khyndew. Ki shna skum ruh halor ki phlang da kaba kli ða ki phlang bad ka skum jong ki ka don ha khap jong kita ki phlang. Ki buh skum ruh hapoh ki ðing ki sem kum hapoh ki shylliah ba kli; ha ki ðingphlang pat ha khap u phlang ba sop ða ka ðing. Ki buh skum ha ki thliw dieng ruh bad wat harud dpei ruh lada ka madan jong ka ðingshetja ka long kaba da ka khyndew. Ki kha khun hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi ki sa peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih halor ka met jong ki. Ki ri khun ruh hapoh ar bnai. Ki kha khun ruh saw sien shi snem, kata ki kha khun shisien lai bnai. Ki bried jong ngi ða kine ki jaid Khnai ruh, ki bam bha ða ka doh jong ki.

Ban pynshisha ba ki long ki jaid Khnai kiba nud ban buh skum wat harud dpei ruh, u Ma Obil Kyndait uba ju long u *Chief Executive Member*, ka *Jaintia Hills Autonomous District Council*, u la ðathuh ba ha u snem 1974, u Ma Shai Kyndait ba na ka shnong Mukha-lalong, ha kawei ka miet u la thiah ha ka kamra shetja jong ka ðing jong u. Ha ka por ba u thiah, u la ðohsngew ða ka jingriew kum ki kot khrek – khrek harud kata ka dpei. ða kata ka jingriew bad jingsawa u la ðohsngew bunsien ha kata ka miet. Kumta ynda u khie mynstep, u shim ða u lyngka bad u tih ða kata ka jaka ba don harud dpei, na kaba u la ðohsngew ba ka la wan kato ka jingsawa. Ynda u la tih, u la lap ba ka Khnai Nisam ka la buh skum hangta, kaba la rah shi bun tylli ki lut pisa na ka tyndong siej ba u kynshew pisa bad pynlong skum ða kita ki pisa. Don ki lut pisa ba la dait lyngkhot lyngkhai kata ka Khnai. Hynrei, donbok ba mar shiteng na kita ki lut pisa kiba la shah dait dang don u number jong kita ki pisa. Kumta da ka jingriarap jong u Bah Obil Kyndait la lah ban bujli ða ki da kiba thymmai na ka *United Bank of India, Jowai Branch*.

La lap ba ki Khnai Nisam ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ðoh na ki Khnai Nisam.

Na ki Khnai Nisam ngi ðoh ða ka doh jong ki ban bam.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ða kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ða ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ða kine ki jaid Khnai.

## 41.6 Ki Khnai Nisan

ða kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Nisan, la ai ruh ða ka kyrteng jong ki hangne da kajuhi.

Ki Khnai Nisan, haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong kumba 3 inshi. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kat ka met jong ki hi. ða ka bynta ba nalar ka met jong ki, la sop da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byriong saw ka rong. Katba ða ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ða ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong. U tdong jong ki pat u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba ðeng bad ki khmat jong ki pat, ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur jong ki mih ki tmaiñ kiba jrong, ba eh, ba ñiar bad ba ðong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nalar bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep



har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Nisan ki im da kaba bam ña ki thied dieng, ki thied phlang, ki soh dieng ba har rukom bad ña ki shylluít jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Khnai Nisan ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la shna ha ki thliw hapoh khyndew. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ki kha khun ruh ar sien shi snem. Kata, ki kha khun shisien hynriew bnai. Kine ruh ki dei ki jaid 'Nai lum. Ki briew jong ngi, ña kine ki jaid Khnai ruh ki bam bha ña ka doh jong ki.

Ña ki Khnai Nisan la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Khnai Nisan.**

Na ki Khnai Nisan ngi ñoh ña ka doh jong ki ban bam

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ña kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ña ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khleng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ña kine ki jaid Khnai.

#### **41.7 Ki Khnai Nidong.**

Ña kane ka kyrteng ruh la shim na ka kyrteng ha ka ktien Jaintia kiba khot ña ki kum ki Khnai Nidong.

Ki Khnai Nidong, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong 3 inshi. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong 3 inshi hi. ña ka bynta ba nalar ka met jong ki la sop ña ka da u shñuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrtém ka rong. Katba ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ña ka da u shñuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba byrtieh stem ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ñeng. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba heh kat ki khmat jong kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar, ba jwat bad ba eh. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bñiat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nalar bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nalar mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Nidong ki im da kaba bam ña u khaw u kba, ña ki thied dieng, thied phlang, u phan karo bad ña ki shylluít ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Khnai Nidong ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por ba kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad kiba long lyngkhuid khlem shñuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñuh ruh u la mih halor ka met jong ki. Ki kha khun ruh ar sien shi snem, kata, ki kha khun shisien hynriew bnai. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la buh ha ki thliw dieng, ha ki thliw ba don ha ki dieng pyut, bad hajrong ki phlang da kaba kli ña ki phlang bad buh ña ka skum hapdeng jong ki phlang. ña kine ki jaid Khnai ruh ki briew jong ngi, ki bam bha ña ka doh jong ki.

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İa kİ Khnai Nidong İa İap ba kİ don ha Meghalaya Kİ don ruh sha kİwei pat kİ jylla İong ka rİ India bad sha kİwei de kİ rİ

**Ka İingmyntoi ba ngİ İoh na kİ Khnai Nidong.**

Na kİ Khnai Nidong ngİ İoh İa ka doİ İong kİ ban bam

Kİ long ruh kİ İingbam İa kİba bun kİ mrad kİba İm da kaba bam İa ka doİ İong kİwei pat kİ mrad Kİ Khlieng, kİ Kbeit, kİ Dkhoh bad kİ Bseİİ ruh kİ bam bİa İa kİne kİ İaid Khnai

## 41.8 Kİ Khnai Stem.

İa kİba İa tİp ha ka ktİen Jaintİa kum kİ Khne Nİstem İa aİ kyrteng ruh İa kİ hangne da kajuh Ha ka ktİen Phareng İah ban kİot İa kİ kİ *Yellowish Rats*

Kİ Khnai Stem, İaba kİ İa san İura bİa, kİ İrong İapİeng 3 İhut bad 3 İhut tam U İdong İong kİ u İrong 2 İhut tam İa ka bynta ba İalor İong ka met İong kİ İa sop İa ka da u shİİİuh uba İem, ba İlİh bad ba stem kmur kmur ka rong İa ka bynta ba İapoh ka met İong kİ ruh İa sop İa ka da u shİİİuh ba İem, ba İlİh bad İam byrlİeh stem ka rong İa u İdong İong kİ ruh İa sop da u shİİİuh ba long ka rong kum ka met İong kİ hİ Kİ shkor İong kİ kİ long kİba İeng Kİ khmat İong kİ kİ heİ kat kİ khmat İong kİba bun kİwei pat kİ İaid khnai Ka shyntur İong kİ ka long kaba nep Narud ka shyntur mİh kİ tmaİİ kİba İİar, ba eh bad ba İwat İapoh ka shyntur İong kİ don saw tyllİ kİ bİİat, ar tyllİ ha ka İyngam ba İalor bad ar tyllİ pat ha ka İyngam ba narum ka shyntur İong kİ Kİ bİİat İong kİ ruh kİ long kİba eh ba khlaİİ bad ba nep İar İar Ha kawel ka kİat İong kİ don san tyllİ kİ shympİahkİat Ha kİİar kİ shympİahkİat ha ka bynta ba İalor, mİh kİ İyrsİm kİba eh, ba khlaİİ ba İam kİdor bad nep bİa

Kİ Khnai Stem kİ İm da kaba bam İa kİ İİİed İİeng, İİİed phİang kİ soh İİeng ba bun İaid bad İa kİ shyllut ba mİh ha ka marİang Kİ long ruh kİ İaid Khnai kİba İm İapoh kİ khİaw kİ btap

Kİ Khnai Stem kİ İapoİkİa kumba İapoİkİa kİwei pat kİ İaid Khnai Kİ kİa khun İapİeng 6 bad 8 tyllİ shİsİen kİa, İwei İadİen İwei pat Ha ka İor kİa, kİ khun kİ long kİba rİt, kİ bym pat İah ban peİt khmat bad ka met İong kİ ka long kaba İyngkİud khİem shİİİuh Hynreİ, İadİen katto katne sngİ te kİ İa İah ban peİt khmat, bad u shİİİuh ruh u İa mİh İalor ka met İong kİ Kİ kİa khun ha kİ skum ba kİ İa buİ ha kİ thİew İapoh kİyndew Kİ kİa khun ruh ar sİen shİ snem, kata, kİ kİa khun shİsİen hynreİw bİaİ Kİne kİ İaid khnai kİm deİ kİba roİ, İamarba bun kİ İaid mrad kİba bam İa kİ, İm tang katta, kİ bİrew ruh kİ bam bİa İa ka doİ İong kİ

İa İap ba kİ Khnai Stem kİ don İapoh Meghalaya Kİ don ruh sha kİwei pat kİ jylla İong ka rİ India bad sha kİwei de kİ rİ

**Ka İingmyntoi ba ngİ İoh na kİ Khnai Stem.**

Na kİ Khnai Stem ngİ İoh ban bam İa ka doİ İong kİ

Kİ long ruh kİ İingbam İa kİba bun kİ mrad kİba İm da kaba bam İa ka doİ İong kİwei pat kİ mrad Kİ Khlieng, kİ Kbeit, kİ Dkhoh bad kİ Bseİİ ruh kİ bam bİa İa kİne kİ İaid Khnai

## 41.9 Ki Naipelang.

Ki dei ki jaid khnai ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintra kum ki Khne Piahlang Ki Biata ki khot ia ki ki Ibui Ha ka ktien Phareng pat lah ban khot ia ki ki *Lesser Bamboo Rats*

Ki Naipelang haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki ka jrong 8 inshi tam U tdong jong ki u jrong 2 inshi tam bad u long u bym don shñiuh Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba rit bha bad la tap ia ki da u shñiuh uba rben bad ba khah, uba mih halor ka khlieh bad ka met jong ki, kumta ym lah ban iohi ia ki shkor jong ki Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun Ka khmut jong ki ka long kaba lam nep malu mala Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum Ki bnaat jong ki ki long kiba eh ba khlañ bad ha nep har har Ka met jong ki ka long kaba sngaid bad ba tylli Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba sngaid ba ksah ba khlañ bad ba lyngkot Ha kawe pa kawe ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ki bym don shñiuh bad ba lam byrsaw ka rong Ha khar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep

Ia ka met jong ki Naipelang la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba khah bad ba rben U shñiuh ba mih halor ka khlieh bad ka khmat jong ki u long lam byrsaw bthuh ka rong Na ka bynta ba narum shyntur mih katto katne u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong Ia ka bynta ba shadien ka met jong ki pat, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba byriong bthuh ka rong

Ki Naipelang ki juh bad myllien ban shong ban sah hapoh thliw kiba jylliew, ia kiba ki la tih hi Ki im da kaba bam ia ki thied dieng, ki langlung, ka met jong ki jingthung ba mih hapoh khyndew, ka lungsiej bad ki thied jong ki siej ki shken

Ki Naipelang ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid khnai Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw bad ki kha khun ruh hapteng ar bad saw tylli shisien kha Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot kaba tang hapoh lai bnaat tam Ki ju kha khun lai sien shi snem Hynrei, wat la katta ruh ki long ki bym roi namarba ki briew ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki Ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad, kine ruh ki bam bha ia ka doh jong ki Teng khat, ki briew haba ki tih ia ka thliw jong ki Naipelang, ki ju lap ia ki khun barit jong ki Kumta ki shim ia kita ki khun bad ri ia ki hapoh ka tin umphniang bam ne umphniang sharak ba la dep pyinkhuid bha Ki ai bam ia kita ki khun da u phan karo Ynda kita ki khun ki la san, ki sa pyiniap bad bam shngiam ia ka doh jong ki

U Bah Damris Phyrngap, ba na Shnongrim kaba don hapoh ka Elaka Nongkhlieh jong ka Jaintia Hills District, u la iathuh ba sha thañ Nongkhlieh, don sa shi jaid ki Naipelang, kaba don jingthoh dak lieh ha ka shyllangmat jong ki bad ka jingpruid dak ha ka kpoh jong ki ba long kum u dak C ne kaba long kum ka diengphna rit Lait na kane ka jingthoh dak bad jingpruid dak, ki long kumjuh ha ka dur ka dar, ka rong ka rup, ka rukom im, ka rukom bam, ka rukom shong ka rukom sah, ka rukom iapoikha, ka rukom kha khun bad rukom ri khun

La lap ba ki Naipelang ki don ha kylleng ka Meghalaya Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei pat ki ri

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Naipelang:

Kiba bun na ki briew jong ngi bad kiwei pat ki jaid riwulum ki bam bha ia ka doh ki Naipelang Kumta, ngi ioh ia ka doh jong ki ban bam Namarkata, khnang ban dup lah ban pynneh pynsah bad ban tyngkai ia ki, ki briew jong ngi ki la dei ban sdang noh ban ri ia ki, ha la ki jong ki

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īing ki sem, da kaba set ĩa ki hapoh ki ruh—nar ne ha ki sem ba la shna kyrpang da ki tin. Hynrei, ba ka por kha khun, dei ban ai ba kin kha hapoh thliw khyndew kumba ki ju myllien. Da kaba leh kumne kan ai jingmyntoi ĩa ki nongri, ba kin ĩoh ban bam doh ĩa ki ha kano kano ka por ba ki kwah ban leh kumta. Namarba ki Naipelang ki long kiba bang bha ka doh jong ki, kumta ki lah ruh ban die ĩa ki sha kito ki briew kiba kwah ban thied ĩa ki. Dei ban leh ĩa kane namar, ki mrad ba ri u briew kim ju duh jaid.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ĩa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ĩa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseĩn ruh ki bam bha ĩa kine ki jaid Khnai.

### 41.10 Ki Khnai Saw.

Ĭa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khnai So, ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki ki Mise Gitchak. Ki Biate ki khot ĩa ki ki Zu sen. Ha ka ktien Phareng lah ban khot ĩa ki ki *Red Rats*.

Ki Khnai Saw, ynda ki la san pura bha, ki jrong ar inshi shiteng. U tdong jong ki pat u jrong 2 inshi. Ĭa ka bynta ba nalar ka met jong ki la sop da u shĩiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrsaw ka rong. Katba ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shĩiuh ba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam byrlieh ka rong, u tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shĩiuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ĩeng. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiba bun ki jaid khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud shyntur mih ki tmaiĩ kiba ĩiar, ba eh bad ba jwat. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nalar bad ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nalar, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiĩ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Saw ki im da kaba bam ĩa ki thied dieng, ki phlang, ĩa ki soh dieng ba bun jaid bad ĩa ki shylluĩt ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Khnai Saw ki ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Kĩ kha khun hapoh 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shĩiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad la mih shĩiuh ruh halor ka met ka jong ki. Kine ki jaid khnai ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki buh halor jong ki dieng. Kham bunsien ki ju buh skum halor ki dieng kseh, kumta la khot ruh ĩa ki ki khnai kseh. Ki briew jong ngi ki bam ĩa ka doh jong ki khnai saw.

La lap ba ki Khnai Saw ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kawei de ki ri.

### Ka jing myntoi ba ngi ĩoh na ki Khnai Saw.

Na ki Khnai Saw ngi ĩoh ĩa ka doh jong ki ban bam.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ĩa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ĩa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseĩn ruh ki bam bha ĩa kine ki jaid Khnai.

### 41.11 Ki Khnai Nisian.

Īa kiba la tip ha ka ktien jaintia kum ki Khnie Nisian la khot lang hangne ruh da kajuh ka kyrteng.

Ki Khnai Nisian ynda ki la san pura bha, ki jrong 2 inshi tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong 2 inshi. Īa ka bynta ba nador ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba jem, ba jlih bad ba saw brut ka rong. Katba ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba jem, ba jlih bad ba lieh ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ĩeng. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba heh kumba heh ki khmat jong kiba bun ki jaid Khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar, ba eh, ba jwat bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat - ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli na ka tyngam ba narum - kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Īa kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Nisian ki long kiba bam bun jaid; kĳ bam ĩa u khaw u kba, ĩa ka ja, ĩa ki thied dieng, thied phlang, ĩa ki shylluit ba mih ha ka mariang bad ĩa ki khñiang ki ksiah ba har rukom.

Ki Khnai Nisian kĳ ĩapoikha kumba ĩapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Kĳ kha khun hapdeng 6 bad 8 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, kĳ khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih halor ka met jong ki. Ki kha khun hapoh ki skum ba kĳ la buh ha ki thliew hapoh khyndew. Kĳ bñiew jong ngĳ, ĩa ka doh jong kine ki jaid Khnai ruh ki bam bha ĩa ka.

La lap ba ki Khnai Nisian ki don hapoh Meghalaya. Kĳ don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngĳ ĩoh na ki Khnai Nisian.

Na ki Khnai Nisian ngĳ ĩoh ban bam ĩa ka doh jong kĳ.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ĩa kiba bun ki mrad kiba ĩm da kaba bam ĩa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseiñ ruh kĳ bam bha ĩa kine ki jaid Khnai.

### 41.12 Ki Naitynjit.

Īa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Najit. Ki Garo ki khot ĩa ki Menggatchi Chatchonclei lane Nangijagipa. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ĩa ki kum ki *House Shrew*. Ki don ar jait - ki jaid heh bad ki jaid rit jong ki.

#### 41.12.1 Ki Naitynjit jaid heh.

Ki Naitynjit jaid heh, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong 6 inshi. U tdong jong ki u jrong 2 inshi. Īa ka bynta ba nador ka met jong ki la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh ba jem, ba jlih bad ba ĩong ka rong. Hynrei, ĩa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop ĩa ka da u shñiuh uba jem, ba jlih bad ba lam

byrlich ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ñeng. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiba bun ki jaid khnai. Ka shyntur jong ki Naitynjit ka long kaba kham nep ban ña ka shyntur jong ki jaid khnai baroh. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar, ba jriong, ba eh, ba jwat bad ba ñong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat, ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Naitynjit ki bam ña ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid; ki bam ruh ña ka sabon, ki soh khaw ja bad ña ki wieh. U Ma B. Pakynteñ u ñathuh ba um ju pyniap ña ki Naitynjit namar ki bam ruh wat ña kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki long ruh ki jaid khnai kiba pynmih ña ka jingsma kaba jur. Namarkata, ki briew, ki Ksew, ki Miaw bad kiwei pat ki jaid mrad kim ju pyniap ña ki. Ki Naitynjit ki ju pynmih ruh ña ka jingpah kaba sawa jam "jrit – jrit – jrit – jit – jit – jit" ha ka por ba ki wad jingbam.

Ki Naitynjit ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih halor ka met jong ki. Ki ju kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la buh ha ka thliw ki krem ba ki shong ki sah ba don hapoh khyndew.

Ña ki Naitynjit la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### ***41.12.2 Ki Naitynjit jaid rit.***

Ki Naitynjit jaid rit sha ka thaiñ Labang Nongphyllut ki khot ña ki ki Khne Synjrit. Kine ki long ki jaid khnai kiba rit. Ka khmut jong ki kam long kaba nep kum ka khmut ki Naitynjit jaid heh U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba lyngkot bha uba shu paw tang tiak. Ki khmat jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit bad ki bym khlaiñ bor ban ñohi. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat - ar narum bad ar najrong - bad ki long kiba nep bad ba khlaiñ. Ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador, ki mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ bad ba nep. ña ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba jem bad ba lam byriong ka rong. Katba ña ka bynta ba napoh ryndang bad ka kpoh pat la sop da u shñiuh uba jem bad ba lam byrlich ñong ka rong.

Ki Naitynjit jaid rit ki long ki jaid khnai ki bym ju rung shapoh ki ñing ki sem. Ki myllien ban mih leit wad jingbam ruh ha ka por janmiet. Mynsngi ki thiah hapoh ka thliw khyndew ba don bad ka skum ba ki la thaw hi. Ki bam bha ña ki wieh bad ña ki khñiang ba bun jaid. Ki kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum kumba ar tylli ei ei, shisien kha. Ki long ruh ki jaid khnai ki bym da roi kumba long kiwei pat ki jaid khnai. Kumta, kiba bun ki briew kim ju kham ñohi ña kine ki jaid khnai. ña ki Naitynjit jaid rit la lap ba ki don hapoh Meghalaya, sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Naitynjit.**

Namarba ki long kiba bam bha ña ki khñiang ki ksiah bad wat ña kiwei pat ki jait khnai ruh, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khang lad ba ki khñiang ki ksiah bad ki khnai ba kin nym ñoh ban roi sha ba palat than.

### 41.13 Ki Naituh.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki khne Nituh. Ki long ruh ki jaid khnai kiba rit tam, ia kiba la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Mise Chakandigipa lane ki Mise Gantiagipa. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Pygmy Rats*.

Ki Naituh haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong tang kat ka kti kmie. U tdong jong ki u jrong kumba ar inshi. Ia ka bynta ba nador ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba ñong phymai ka rong; don ruh kiba ia ka met jong ki la sop da u shñiuh uba bñuh ka rong. Katba ia ka bynta ba napoh jong ka met jong ki pat, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrlieh ñong ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba rit. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba nep. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bñiat - ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli pat ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat jong ki ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Naituh ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit bha, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh bad ka rong jong ka met jong ki ka long kaba saw kum ka dohmet. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la buh ha khap ki phlang ba sop ia ka ñing phlang, ha ka synduk ba don hapoh ñing poh sem ka bym da khang bha, ha ki shylliah ba kñi bad sha ki jaka ba don phlang. Ki ju kha khun ruh ar sien shi snem, kata, shisien hynrew bñai. Katba, kito ki Naituh ba dang sdang ban kha khun nyngkong pat ki kha tang shisien ha ka shi snem. Wat ia kine ki Khnai kiba rit bha ruh, ki don ki briew jong ngi kiba ham ia ka doh jong ki.

Ki Naituh ki im da kaba bam ia u khaw, u kba, ki jhur ki jhep, ki ktung, dohkha, u ruti, ki biskit bad kiba kum kita ki jaid jingbam ba ki ñoh ha ki ñing ki briew. Ki bam ruh ia ki thied dieng, thied phlang, ki khñiang ki ksiah bad ia ki shyllunt ba mih ba ka mariang.

Ia ki Naituh la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Naituh.

Na ki Naituh ngi ñoh ia ka doh jong ki ban bam. Ki Naituh ki long ruh ka jingbam ia kiba bun ki mrad rit kiba bam da ka doh.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ia kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ia kine ki jaid Khnai.

### 41.14 Ki Khnai Tangtoor.

Ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Tangtoor, ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Bandicoot Rats*.

Ki Khnai Tangtoor haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong shi phut tam. U tdong jong ki ruh u jrong kat ka met jong ki hi. Ia ka bynta ka met jong ki kaba nador, la sop ia ka da u shñiuh uba khaiñ, ba

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jwat, ba long kum u shñiuh Sniang bad ba byrTong bthuh ka rong. Katba ïa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh ba byrlieh ka rong. U tdong jong ki u long uba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun. Ki shkor jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ba lam pyllun bad ba syllen khlem shñiuh. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba shu biang ka jingheh. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba jrong bad ba nep. Narud ka shyntur, mih ki tmañ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba jrong, ba ñiar bad ba ïong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bñiat - ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat jong ki ki long kiba heh, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha klier ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khnai Tangtoor ki im da kaba bam ïa ki khñiang ki ksiah, ïa ki jingthung jingtep kum ïa ka shriew, u phan karo, ki thied dieng, ki khun syiar bad ïa ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang. Ki leit wad jingbam mar ïa sdang dum. Hynrei, ha ki sngi ba dum sngi la ïohi ba ki leit wad jingbam wat mynsngi ruh. Ki long kiba pynjutor bad kiba pynjot ïa ka rep ka riang jong u khun bynrlew.

Ki Khnai Tangtoor ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun hapdeng 6 bad 8 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba syllen khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la shna hi ha ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew. Ki kha khun ruh ar sien shi snem, kata, shisien hynrlew bnai. Kine ki jaid Khnai kim ju shong hapoh ki ïing ki sem ki bñiew. Hynrei, ki shong ki sah ha ki khlaw ba don harud ki shnong bad ha ki kper ki prah jong ki bñiew. Ki bñiew ki bam bha ïa ka doh jong kine ki jaid Khnai. Sha thañ Mooshrot kaba don ha Jaintia Hills, ki bñiew ki ju thad tyrkhong ïa ka doh jong ki kumba thad ïa ka doh masi, khnang ba kin dup ïoh ban bam ha kano kano ka por ba ki kwah ban bam.

La lap ba ki Khnai Tangtoor ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Khnai Tangtoor.

Na ki Khnai Tangtoor ngi ïoh ïa ka doh jong ki ban bam.

Ki mrad ba bun jaid ruh ki bam bha ïa ka doh jong ki. Wat ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit bad ki Dkhoh ruh ki bam bha ïa kine ki jaid Khnai.

## 41.15 Ki Khnai Khlaw.

Ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Khloo, ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ïa ki kum ki *Indian Bush Rats*.

Ki Khnai Khlaw haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 4 inshi bad 4 inshi tam. U tdong jong ki u jrong hapdeng 3 inshi bad 4 inshi. Ïa ka met jong ki, ïa ka bynta ba shalor, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba lam byrtem ïong bad don ruh ka bynta ba lam saw ka rong. Ïa u tdong jong ki pat la sop da u shñiuh ba long kum ka rong jong ka met ba nador jong ki. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun bad ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba lam pyllun bad ba ïeng. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam



nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba eh, ba jwat, ba ñiar bad ba ñong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bnait - ar tylli na ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli na ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat ki long kiba eh, ba khlaññ bad ba nep har har. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kñat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkñat bad ha ka bynta ba nador jong ki shympriahkñat jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaññ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Khñai Khlaw ki im da kaba bam ña ki thied dieng, thied phlang, ki jyntang phlang, ki shyieng jong ki soh dieng ba bun jaid bad ña ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Khñai Khlaw ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid khñai. Ki kha khun hapdeng 4 bad 6 tylli shisien kha, iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba syllen khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la thaññ janai bha halor ki phlang bad teng teng ki thaññ ruh ña ki skum jong ki ha trai ki jyntang jong ki phlang. ña kine ki jaid Khñai ruh ki briew jong ngi ki bam bha ña ka doh jong ki.

La lap ba ki Khñai Khlaw ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ñoh na ki Khñai Khlaw.**

Na ki Khñai Khlaw ngi ñoh ña ka doh jong ki ban bam Kiba bun ki mrad ruh ki bam bha ña ka doh jong ki.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ña kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ña ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseññ ruh ki bam bha ña kine ki jaid Khñai.

#### **41.16 Ki Khñai Pohdieng.**

Ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Pohdeññ, ki Biata ki khot ña ki ki Japui. Ha ka ktien phareng pat la tip ña ki kum ki *Indian Gerbilles*.

Ki Khñai Pohdieng haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 6 bad 7 inshi. U tdong jong ki u kham jrong ban ña ka met jong ki. ña ka met jong ki na ka bynta ba nador, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jem, ba jliñ bad ba lam byrsaw bñuh ka rong. Katba ña ka bynta ba shapoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ña ka da u shñiuh ba lam byrlich ka rong. ña u tdong jong ki la sop da u shñiuh ba long ka rong kum ka bynta ha ka met jong ki, tangba don ka jingthoh ha baroh ar liang u tdong da ki kynja laiññ ba rit bad ba lam bñuh ka rong bad ka bynta ba ha kñiar u tdong ka long saphuh shñiuh. Ki shkor jong ki ki long kiba ñeng bad ba lam pyllun. Ka khlich jong ki ka long kaba long pyllun. Ki khmat jong ki ki heh kat ki khmat jong kiba bun ki jaid khñai. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep. Narud ka shyntur, mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar, ba jwat, ba eh bad ba ñong ka rong. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bnait - ar tylli na ka tyngam ba nador jong ki bad ar tylli pat, ha ka tyngam ba narum ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bñiat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlañññ bad ba nep bha. Ki kñat ba sha khmat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, katba ki kñat ba shadien pat ki long kiba jrong bha. Ha baroh saw tylli ki kñat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkñat ha kawei kawei ka kñat. Ha kñiar ki shympriahkñat jong ki ha ka bynta ba nador mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañññ ba lam kdor bad ba nep. Namarba ki kñat ba shaphrang jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot bad ki kñat ba shadien jong ki pat ki long

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kiba jrong. Kumta, haba ki ïaid ne haba ki mareh sted, ki long kumba ki kynthih syiem kumba ïaid ne mareh ki *Kangaroo*.

Ki Khnai Pohdieng ki long ki jait Khnai kiba juh bad sngewtynnad ban shong ban sah hapoh ki thliw. Barabor, ki thliw jong ki ki ju don ha trai ki dieng lyngkot phymgop bad ba khah bha, hapoh ki lawbniap bad ha trai jong ki phlang kiba jrong. Ki ïapoikha ruh kumba ïapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. U Ma Bniha Lathong u ïathuh ba kine ki jaid khnai ki ju kha khun hapdeng 4 haduh 6 tylli shisien kha iwei hadien iwei pat. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ruh ka long lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei hadien katto katne sngi, ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki. Ki ju kha khun hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hi. Ki Khnai Pohdieng ki im da kaba bam ïa ki shyieng ki jingthung, ïa ki symboh khaw bad u kba. Ki bam ruh ïa ki thied dieng ki thied phlang, ki soh dieng ba bun jait bad ïa ki sla dieng. Ki bam ruh ïa ki pylleng bad ki khun sim jong ki sim ba buh skum ha madan bad bam ruh ïa ki khñiang ki ksiah. Ki brierw jong ngi ki bam bha ïa ka doh jong kine ki jaid khnai.

La lap ba ki Khnai Pohdieng ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

## Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Khnai Pohdieng.

Na ki Khnai Pohdieng ngi ïoh ban bam ïa ka doh jong ki.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ïa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ïa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ïa kine ki jaid Khnai.

## 41.17 Ki Khnai Um.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ïa kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Khne Um. Sha thaiñ Amkoi jong ka War Jaintia la tip ïa ki kum ki Khnai Poh-am. Ki Biate ki khot ïa ki ki Tui e zu. Ki Garo ki khot ïa ki ki Mise Chi (Mise-ka khnai, Chi-ka um). Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ïa ki kum ki *Water Rats*.

Ki Khnai Um haba ki la san pura bha, ki jrong hapdeng 3 inshi bad 3 inshi tam. U tdong jong ki ruh u long uba jrong. ïa ka bynta ba nador ka met jong ki, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh uba khah, ba jlih kum ka jaiñ *velvet* bad ba lam byrñong bthuh ka rong. Katba ïa ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki pat, la sop ïa ka da u shñiuh ba khah, ba jem, ba jlih bad lam byrñong ka rong. Hynrei, ïa u tdong jong ki pat, la sop ïa u da u shñiuh uba eh, ba khañ bad ba byrñong bthuh ka rong. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit. Ki shkor jong ki ruh ki long kiba rit. Ka khlieh jong ki ka long kaba lam pyllun. Katba ka shyntur jong ki pat ka long kaba lam nep. Narud ka shyntur mih ki tmaiñ kiba ñiar, ba eh, ba jrong bad ba jwat. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat - ar tylli ha ka tyngam ba nador bad ar tylli pat, ha ka tyngam ba narum jong ka shyntur jong ki. Ki bniat jong ki ruh ki long kiba eh, ba khlañ bad ba nep har har. Baroh saw tylli ki kjat jong ki ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. ïa ki shympriahkjat jong ki ruh la sop ïa ki da u shñiuh. Ha kliar ki shympriahkjat ha ka bynta ba nador, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

U Bah Rin Lamin u ïathuh ba, ki Khnai Um ki long ki jaid Khnai kiba wad jingbam shapoh um. Ki bam ïa ki dohkha dohpnat, ki shalynnai, ki sher syngkai, ki dohthli, ki jakoid, ki lun, ki mattah, ki smok-tah bad ïa ki khñiang ba im hapoh um.

Ki Khnai Um ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki ju kha khun naduh ba sdang ka Lyiur kata naduh u bnai iaiiong haduh ba kut u Nailar. Ki kha khun ruh ha ki skum ba ki buh ha ki thliw ba ki tih hapoh khyndew. Ki ju kha khun ruh hapdeng 4 bad 8 tylli. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi, ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki. Ka por pun khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot, kaba tang hapoh shibnai bad ka por ri khun jong ki ruh ka long kaba lyngkot - kaba tang hapoh ar bnai tam. Hapdeng u bnai iaiiong bad u Nailur, ki ju kha khun ar sien ha ka shi snem. Ia kine ki jaid Khnai ruh don hi ki briew ba bam ia ka doh jong ki.

La lap ba ki Khnai Um ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei de ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Khnai Um.**

Na ki Khnai Um ki briew ki ioh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ia kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ia kine ki jaid Khnai.

Nalor ki Khnai ba la dep thoh haneng, u Bah M.M. Thairang u la a1 da ka jingthoh sha une u Nongthoh, sa ia kine ki jaid Khnai ba don hapoh ka Elaka Labang Nongkhyllut, bad kita ki jaid Khnai ki long kine harum.

#### 41.18 Ki Khnai Siej.

Kine ki jaid Khnai ki dei kiba kham heh khyndiat ia ki Khnai Tuh ne ia ki Khnai Rynsian, kumba ki khot ia ki sha thaiñ Labang-Nongphyllut. Ka rong jong ki Khnai Siej, ia kiba kham iohi khah khah ka long kaba saw, hynrei don ruh kiba lam byrlieh ka rong.

Ki Khnai Siej ki im da kaba bam ia ki thied dieng, thied phlang, ki soh dieng ba bun jaid, ki sla lung bad ia ki shylluit jong ki jingthung ba mih ha ka mariang.

Ki Khnai Siej ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Hynrei ki long pat ki bym da kha roi - shisien kha, kaba bun eh saw tylli. Bunsien hi, la lap ba ki kha lai tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki. Ki kha khun ruh hapoh ki skum ba ki la thaw hapoh ki 'liw siej, ha ki tnad jong ki siej bad la lap ruh ba ki ju thaw skum ha ki kdait bad ki jymri ruh.

**Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Khnai Siej:**

Na ki Khnai Siej ki briew ki ioh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ia kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseñ ruh ki bam bha ia kine ki jaid Khnai.

#### 41.19 Ki Khnai Skum.

Kine ki jaid Khnai ki kham rit tang khyndiat ïa ki Khnai Siej. Ki long ruh ki jaid Khnai kiba kham kynei ha ki jaka lum bad ha ki lyngkha. Ki long ruh kiba sngewtynnad ban im ha ki jaka ba don skum kba ne stait kba.

Ki Khnai Skum ki ïapoikha kumba ïapoikha kiwei pat ki jaid Khnai. Ki kha khun ha ki skum ba ki la buh ha ki thliw hapoh khyndew lane ha ki jaka ba bun u langmet ne hapoh ki ïingphlang ha khap ki ratap phlang. Ki kha khun ruh hapdeng lai bad saw tylli shisien kha. Ha ka por kha, ki khun ki long kiba rit, ki bym pat lah ban peit khmat bad ka met jong ki ka long kaba lyngkhuid khlem shñiuh. Hynrei, hadien katto katne sngi te ki la lah ban peit khmat bad u shñiuh ruh u la mih ha ka met jong ki.

**Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi ïoh na ki Khnai Skum:**

Na ki Khnai Skum, ki briew ki ïoh ban bam ïa ka doh jong ki.

Ki long ruh ki jingbam ïa kiba bun ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ïa ka doh jong kiwei pat ki mrad. Ki Khlieng, ki Kbeit, ki Dkhoh bad ki Bseiñ ruh ki bam bha ïa kine ki jaid Khnai.

#### 41.20 Katto katne ki jingthoh kyllum shaphang ki Khnai.

##### 41.20.1 Ka jingshyrkhei jong ki Khnai.

U Dr. J.S. Lister, ïa uba ngi ju khot ieid u Bah Jasai, u la ïathuh ha une u Nongthoh, ba wat la ki Khnai ki long ki mrad kiba rit ruh hynrei, ki long pat kiba shyrkhei bha. Namar, ki long ki jaid mrad kiba ju kit ïa ki khñiang jingpang ba pynlong ïa ka jingñapkhram jong ki briew ruh. Ki Khnai ki ju dait ruh ïa ki briew haba ki thiah. Namarkata, donkam ban long kiba phikir, khnang ban lait na ki jingpang jingshitom ba wanrah da ki Khnai. Ki Khnai ki long ruh ki nongpynjulor ba khraw ïa ka rep ka riang, ka thung ka tep bad ïa u khaw u kba ba la lum thup bad buh tyngkai ha ki thiar ne ki tyllu lane ki byrni ha ki ïing ki sem bad ha ki kudam ruh.

##### 41.20.2 Sa kawei ka khram ha Mizoram.

“Aizawl: Ka jingroi jong ki Khnai Lum ha ki khlaw siej bad ka jingpynjot jong ki ïa ki mar rep ha ki katto katne ki jaka ha Mizoram, kaba don hajan khappud bad ka Manipur, ka la pynsheptieng ïa ki briew kato ka thaiñ, ïoh kan wan biang ka nemsnew kaba la ju jia man la ka 50 snem kaba lyngkhuh bad ka jingphuh syntiew ki Siej”.

“Kat kum ka jingñathuh ki *Scientists* (Ki riwstad sañans) jong ka *Agriculture and Irrigation Department* jong ka Mizoram, ki ong ba wat la ki siej ki sei shylluit bad phuh syntiew ha ka snem 2007, kata ka jingsei syntiew shisien tohkhat ka la pynsyier ba ka don ka jingpynjot ïa ki jingthung jingtep da ki Khnai Lum. Ka Mizoram ka la mad ïa ka khram ba khadduh ha ka snem 1957, kaba dei na katei ka jingsei lung ki siej bad phuh syntiew ruh. Ha katei ka khram, kumba 5000 ngut ki briew ki la ïap na ki daw bym biang bam bad ki jingpang ba laiphew jaid”.

“Wat la ym pat leh ia ki jungwad bñah halor ka jingiadet hapdeng ka jingsei syntiew u siej bad ka khlam, ka jingmih aa ka jungwad ha u snem 1954 ka pyni ba ki Khnai Lum ki bang bha ia ki syntiew siej, bad da ka kynhun ki ju leit sha ki jaka ba sei syntiew ki siej Hadien bym don shuh kitei ki syntiew siej, ki Khnai ki leit pynjot sa ia ki jingthung jingtep tang ban loh bam”

“Ha ka pdeng snem 80, la phah nuksa ia ki syntiew siej sha ka *Forest Research Institute* ha Dehradun ban wad balei ki Khnai lum ki bang bha ia kitei ki syntiew siej Hynrei, kaba phyla ka long ba kitei ki syntiew siej kim don dor satia ban bam ia ki Katkum u *Director Agriculture* jong ka Mizoram, u R Thansanga, wat la ym pat tip balei ki Khnai Lum ki bang bha ia ki soh bad ki syntiew siej, kawei ka daw ba pynlong ia ki Khnai ban roi ha ki jaka ba sei lung bad phuh syntiew ki siej ka lah ban long ba namar wat ki Khnai kiba dang rit bad ba tlot ruh ki lah ban im namar ba don kyrhai ka bam ha kito ki jaka”

La sot ia kane ka jingthoh haneng na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor Dongmusa kaba la mih ha ka sngi palei 4 tarik haduh 10 tarik Lber 1999 ha ka sla 4 halor ka *heading* “Sa kawei ka khlam ha Mizoram”

#### 41.20.3 U Tdong Ba Ar Tyngka.

“Ki Khnai ba la shah tim palat bad ba don ha kylleng ki jaka, kiba don bun la jan ha baroh ki ung ki sem ha Arunachal Pradesh sha shisien pat ki la long biang ka jingmyntoi ha iohngong ia ki trai shngong”

“Ka bor ba pyniaid ia ka synshar khadar ha ka Last Kameng ne ka Kameng Mihngi, ka la ai ia ka jingpynbna paidbah ba yn ai ne siew ar tyngka na ka bynta uwei u tdong Khnai, kaba long ka skim ban ialeh pyrshah ia ka jingbun bad kha roi ki Khnai hapoh ka por ba phuh syntiew ki siej”

“Dangshen, u Iopla Gungli jong ka shngong Kafia u la mih noh bad 300/- tyngka na ka ophis U *Deputy Commissioner* ha kaba ia pli ia ki 150 tylli ki tdong khnai, ia kiba la ñiew bad ba la pynshisha’

“Ka skim ka long shi bynta jong ka *District Disaster Management Committee Plan 2005*, ban pynlong ia ki paidbah ban iasynrop bad iatreilang ha kaban teh lakam ne khanglad ia ka jingma ba shyrkhei ba ki khnai ki lah ban wanrah”

Ia kane ka jingthoh haneng la sot na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor *The Telegraph*, kaba mih ha ka 13 tarik u bñai August 2005 ha ka sla 15

#### 41.20.4 Shalan Khnai shabar ri.

“Nalor ka rep ka riang, ki nongkyndong ha ri Cambodia ki pynlut kham bun ka por ha kaba kem Khnai bad ia kine ki mrad ba ipli la die pat sha Vietnam kum ki mar bam Da ki hajar tylli ki Khnai la ju shalan sha Vietnam jan man la ka sngi Ia kine ki Khnai kiba ki ju kem na ki lyngkha kba la ju die ha ka dor 0 35 dolar shi kilo”

“U Kep Chutima, uba long u lat jong ka Takeo Province, u la iathuh ba na ka liang ka Sorkar ruh ka ju pynshur ia ki nongshongshngong ban trei shuthem ia kane ka kam kem Khnai namar, ym tang ba kan iarap ban pynuna ia kine ki mrad kiba ju pynjulor bha ia ki jingthung jingtep, hynrei, kan iarap ruh ban pynioh kama ia kito kiba kham duna ka jingioh ne kham kyrduh U la iathuh ruh ba

ym lah ban ñiew ña ki jingdon ki Khnai ha kane ka ri, bad da ki hajar tylli la ju ngat ha ka jingriam man ka sngi.”

“Ka doh Khnai ka long ruh kawei na ki jaid jingbam ba bang eh jong ki nong Cambodia, khamtam lei lei ña ka doh ba la sdieh hadien ba la dep thad tyrkhong ña ka.”

Ña kane ka jingthoh haneng la sot ña ka na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor Dongmusa ba la mih ha ka 4 tarik haduh 10 tarik u Naitung, 2002, ha ka sla 3 halor ka *heading* “Ki Khubor phylla”.

Namarba ka jylla Meghalaya ka long kaba don bun jaid ki Khnai kiba bit ban bam ki brierw, namarkata, lada ki brierw jong ngi kin lah ban shalan ña kine ki jaid Khnai sha kiwei pat ki ri, kan wanrah ña ka jingrohmyntoi kaba jur ña ki brierw jong ngi.

#### ***41.20.5 Ka jingbam ña ka doh Khnai.***

Ha kylleng ka ri ba don hapoh ka dewbah Asia, kiba bun ki jaid riwulum ki bam bha ña ka doh Khnai. Ha ri China lah ban ñoh dohkhnei wat hapoh ki hotel ruh. Ha kiba bun ki ri hapoh Africa ruh, ki trai shnong ki bam bha ña ka doh Khnai. Ki brierw jong ngi kiba bam ña ka doh khnei, ki ñathuh ba ka doh Khnai ka long kaba bang, khamtam kato ka doh Khnai, ña kaba ki la thad tyrkhong shwa kum kaba thad tyrkhong ña ka doh masi.

#### ***41.20.6 Ña ki Khnai ruh don ba mane bad ki im hapoh ki Temple.***

Deshnoke (Rajasthan) June 25 (Reuters):

Ki ñaid sharum shaneng lyngba ki madan kamra ba siang maw marble, ki dem, ki thiah kai ha ki dieng jingker bad ña thiah lang hapoh ki thliw ba don ha trai jong ki kynroh; ki tdong ba jrong jong ki ki paw shabar.

“Ki Khnai da ki spah bad da ki phew spah ki don ha baroh ki jaka jong ka Karni Mata Temple ha Rajasthan bad ka jingsngewsih bakhraw ka hap ha uno uno ne kano kano kiba sheptieng bad ñuh ña iwei na ki.”

“Namar, katkum ki khanatang, ki Khnai bthuh ba kyntang ki long ki bym don jingma khyndiat ruh ban ña ka jingkhapat ña ki brierw kiba na ka jaid bynrIEW riwulum ba ki khot ki Chavan kiba ka mynsiem jong ki ki shong ki sah shipor ha ka met jong ki Khnai haduh ba yn kha pat ña ki.”

“Ki longshwa ki manshwa jong nga” la ong u Hinglaj Dan Bareth, uba long u riwulum Chavan bad u Headmaster jong ka skul ha ka sor rit ha ri shyiip jong ka Deshnoke ha kaba la tei ña ka temple ha ka spah snem ba 16.”

“Lada phi pyniip ña iwei na ki da kaba ñuh halor jong i, phi hap ban tyrwa kawei ka Khnai ba la shna da ka Ksiar ne rupa sha ka Temple.”

“La kheif ba kumba shi million ngut ki brierw ki la leit sha kane ka Temple kaba heh man ka snem, ña kaba la tei nam ña ka Karni Mata, kaba la long ka kynthei riewniam ba mañan jong ka spah snem ba 15, ña kaba la ngeit da kiba bun ki Hindu ba ka long kum ka jingkhapat ña ka Durga, ka blei kaba khraw jong ka bor bad ka jingjop.”

“Ki nongwan jngoh ki long naduh kiba riewblei bha haduh kiba shu kwah tip, ne kiba dang shu dep shongkurim kiba wad ban ioh jingkyrkhu ia ka jingshongkha jong ki, sa ki Nongshang pyrthei bar ri, na kiba la dap da ka jingsngew phylla bad kiba pang ba swai.”

“Nga sngewtynnad bha. Ar tylli ki Khnai ki la mareh nator ki kjat jong nga” la ong u Sumit Jha, u khynnah ba dang 14 snem ba na Agra, uba la wan jngoh ia ka temple bad kiba ha iing ha sem jong u. “Ka pynsmiej hynrei ngam shym la tieng.”

“Lada ka Khnai ka mareh sted ha ka jingkyrkieh ha ki kjat jong phi hapoh ka temple, ha kaba ki nongwanjngoh ki hap ban iaid tang da ki kjat (khlem phong jut ne slipar), la n̄iew ia ka kum ka dak ka shin jong ka jingbha bok bha nusib.”

“Kaba kham bha bok bha nusib shuh shuh ka long ka jingiohi ia ka Khnai L̄ieh kaba n̄iar bha ban lap, ia kaba la n̄iew kyntang kum ka jingmihpat jong ka Karni Mata hi da kiba n̄geit kiba pyn̄ieng ki kti kiba pyndait baroh ar ha ka jingduwai.”

“Bad katkum ka khanatang, ka jingdih ia ka dud lane ka um ha ka dabor, na kaba ki Khnai ki la dep dih kan long ka jingiaada na ka jingpang Khlam.”

“Katto katne ki briew kiba wan hangne ki ju sheptieng ia ki Khnai, hynrei ngi iathuh ia ki ba ki long ki bym don jingma bad ym don ei ei ruh ba dei ban sheptieng,” la ong u Narayan Dan, uba long uwei u lyngdoh ha kane ka temple

“Ia ka Karni Mata la kha ia ka ha ka snem 1387, kaba khadduh na ki hynriew ngut shipara kynth̄ei, na ka longiung ba long paidbah.”

“Katkum ka jinḡiathuh pateng ki pukir, la iathuh ba ka la pyn̄ioh khun ia kawei na ki hynmen kynth̄ei jong ka ban kha khun ia u kurim jong ka. Ki riewngeit ki iathuh ba ka la leh bun ki kambha ha ka por ba ka la im haduh 151 snem.”

“Ka la long ka blei ba iarap jong ki Maharaja jong ka Bikaner.”

“Ka jingngeit ban mane ia ki Khnai ka mih na ka jinḡiathuhkhana ba ka Karni Mata ka la pynim pat ia uwei u khun rit jong ka, da kaba knieh ia u na ka jingbat u Yama, u blei ka jingiap jong ki Hindu.”

“Ka khanatang pateng ka iathuh ba ka la smai ba ym don uwei ruh na ka jaid riwlum jong ka, ba un dang hap biang ha ka kti u Yama bad ha ka jaka jong ka kin sah hapoh ka met jong ki Khnai tad ynda kha biang ia ki ha ka kur ka jaid bad ka khong jong ki.”

“Ki riewngeit ki tuid sha ka temple lem bad ki jingai jong ki na ka bynta ki Khnai, kiba long naduh kaba theh ia ka dud ha ka dabor nar ia kaba la buh halor ki maw marble ba iong bad ba lieh, ia kiba la siang ia ka madan jong ka temple, u khaw, ki mithai, ki soh snep-kor bad ki kait.”

“Haba kut jong kawei pa kawei ka sngi, ia kiei kiei ba ki Khnai ki la ichnoh khlem bam, la sam ia ki sha kiba duk.”

## KI KHNAI BAD KI DKHAN

“Ki Khnai ia kiba la bsa da ka jingbam ba bha tam, dei kito kiba shong ba sah ha ka bynta ba kham shapoh ba kham kyntang jong ka temple, ka jaka ba pynshai byrngut-byrngut, ha kaba don ka dur ba la oh janai ha u maw marble bad ba la pynriam da ki maw bakordor, ki jingoh rupa kaba pyni ia ka Karni Mata ha ka rukom ieng kum ka nongjop bad ki Khnai ba rynsied shaphang jong ka.”

“Ka bynta ba kham shapoh jong ka temple ka long kaba iaryngkat ia ka Bneng jong ki Khnai.”

“Ka babha tam ka jingbam ka long kaba la iehnoh da ki Pilgrim (Ki briew kiba leit sha ki jaka kyntang) kiba ia boi khapngiah sha ka kamra kaba rit ia kaba lah ban leit sha ki lyngdoh jong ka temple.”

“Ka kynthup ia ka dur blei ba la oh dur oh dar ha u maw shyap (*sand stone*), la ong ba da u nongohdur ba matlah uba ia ka jingiohi jong u ka Karni Mata da ka kambah ka la pyniohi biang kum ka bainong ia u.”

“Ki baje ki sawa, ki ksing ki riw bad ki jingrwai ki sawa ha ka por ba long jingduwai, kaba nangkiew nangkiew ne nangjam nangjam ka jingsawa”

“Khlem patiw ne tieng ia ka jingsawa ba jur, ki khnai ki bam hun mynsiem haban da kdang lane thiah, da kaba dem ha ki maw marble ba thynda ba siang ha madan ka temple lane dem ha ka jaka bymju long ha ki dieng sawdong lane ha ki nar jingker ba don sawdong hangta”

“Ka long kaba i thamula ban ioi ba ki khnai ki bym don jingsheptieng ia ki briew”, la ong u Kamal Kishore Basal, uba 28 snem u nongtrei maw marble na ka shnong sor ba marjan jong ka Naguar, uba la wan sha ka temple bad ka kynhun jong ki nongleit kurim”. “Ym lah ban pynsheptieng ia phi da ki, ki long kiba rit bha”.

“Ka dujok ki Khnai” ka long shabar ka kamra ba kham shapoh bad kaba “Khluit tam” ha kaba uwei u khiew uba heh bha ia uba ki ju pynsyaid um bad shet ia ki jingbam mynshwa, u don halor ka dpei mawit-pajuh ne ka tyndur ia kaba la buh beit ha ka khyndew”.

“Lada ka Khnai ba na dujok ka pyrshang ban rung sha bneng, ki Khnai kiba la don lypa hangta kin beh ia ka”, la ong u Bareth ba la 40 snem.

“Kumta shano u Bareth u ngeit ba u dang iaide, sha bneng ne sha nurok ka ksew?”

“Ka shong ha ki kam jong nga, ka jingmane jong nga bad ka jinglong jong nga bad ka jinglong mynsiem,” u la ong.

Ia kane ka jingthoh ba la thoh haneng la sot ia ka na kawei ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor National Paper, tangba ym kynmaw shuh ka kyrteng kaei ne ka lah ban long ruh ka jingthoh ba la mih ha kano kano ka Magazine.

### 41.20.7 Wat ha ki Sorbah ruh ki Khnai ki jyllei bha.

“Washington: - Lehse kan long ka khubor kaba sngew phylla, ba ha ka sorbah New York jong ka ri America, ki heh sorkar ki la pynlong ka jingialang ‘*Rat summit*’ bad ka da thung ia ka kynhun iada na ki Khnai, ia kaba la ai kyrteng ka ‘*Rodent Task Force*’. Kine ki jingthaw kiba isait-met, ki



Khnaï, ki la nangroi ha Chicago katba nang mih ki sngi. Uwei u briew ha Hoston u la ïathuh ruh ba u la ïohi ïa uwei u Ophisar pulit ba u rah da ka pistol ban beh bad pynïap ïa ki Khnaï kiba don bun ha ka ïing jong u.”

“Ha baroh ki Sorbah jong ka ri America, ki Khnaï ki la nang kha roi bad ki la pynkulmar thlim ïa ki nongshong-shong, bad kane ka la pynlong ïa ki kynthun peit jingpang ban wad ïa ki lad kumno ban teh lakam ïa ki.”

“Ki Khnaï ki long shisha ka jingkordit ïa ki paid nongshongshnong. Ha ka spah snem ba 14, ki Khnaï ki la long ka daw ka jingsaphriang ka khlam ha kylleng ka dewbah Europe. Bad dang shen, ba ki la long ki nongrah jingpang kum ka ‘*Typhus*’ bad ka ‘*Leptospirosis*’, ki jingpang kiba shykhei bha.”

“U nongpynïaid ïa ka prokram teh lakam ïa ki Khnaï, u Maurice Knuckles u la ong ba ngim lah ban pynïap lut ïa ki Khnaï. Hynrei, ban teh lakam ïa ki, ngi donkam kawei ka prokram kaba kyrpang kaba lah ban ïarap ban teh lakam ïa ki. Kiba kum kita ki prokram ki kynthup: ka jingbuh ïa ki jaka theh ñiut kiba kyrpang, ka jingai jinghikai ïa ki nongbuh *restaurant*, kumno ban pynkhuid ïa ki jaka theh ñiut, bad ban daiñ kuna ïa kito ki nongbuh *restaurant* ki bym bud ïa ki kyndon ba la buh da ki bor ba dei peit.”

“U Ken Grey, u nongpynïap khnaï na Hoston, u ong ba ki briew kim sngewthuh ba ka dei ka jingmyllien jong ki hi kaba long ka tynrai jong kane ka jingkha roi ki Khnaï. Ki briew ki phone sha u number 911 (U number pan jingïarap na ki pulit) ym na ka bynta kano kano ka daw, hynrei ban pan jingïarap ban byniap Khnaï.”

La sot ïa kane ka jingthoh haneng na ka jingthoh ba la mih ha ka kot khubor Dongmusa ba la mih ha ka sngi palei, 15 tarik haduh 22 tarik u Nailur, 2001 ha ka sla ba 6, halor ka *heading*. “Pynklumar thlim ki Khnaï ïa ki bor sorkar ha US.”

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### KI KURATTIA

Ki dei ki jaid mrad ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Chahang (Kynnoh Sha-hang). Sha thaini Pasadwar bad Kwator jong ka War Jaintia la tip ia ki kum ki Lahang. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki Ole. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki ki Garial. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Crocodiles*.

U Bah A. R. Syiemlieh, uba trei kum u *Library Assistant* ha ka District Library, Jowai, u la iathuh ba ki Kurattia kiba don sha kane ka thaini, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong naduh ka khmut jong ki haduh ba kut u tdong jong ki, hpdeng 10 phut bad 12 phut. Ki khia pat hpdeng 240 *kilo* bad 250 *kilo*. Katba ki Kurattia kiba don sha ki Ri Africa pat, haba ki la san pura bha ki jrong 20 phut bad ki Kurattia kiba don ha ka Ri America pat ki jrong haduh 7 *meter* ne 23 phut. U la iathuh ruh ba u la ioh ia kitei ki jingtip na kaba pule ia ki kot ba la thoh shaphang ki Kurattia kiba don ha katei ka Library.

Ki Kurattia ki long ki mrad saw kjat kiba heh bha bad ba itriem ka dur ka dar. Ia ka bynta ba nalor ka met jong ki naduh ka khmut haduh ba kut u tdong jong ki, la sop ia ka da ka snieh ba rben, ba jwat bad kaba don da ki spah tylli ki jingat bad ki jingthem ha baroh kawei ka met jong ki. Ka rong jong ka snieh ba sop ia ka met jong ki ka long kaba lam byriong bthuh. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop ia ka da ka snieh kaba jlih bad ba byrtem lieh ka rong. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba heh. Ka shyntur jong ki ruh, ka long kaba heh, kaba jrong bad ba lam nep. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don ki bniat kiba heh, ba jrong, ba eh, ba khlaini bad ba nep har har. Ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba sniew dur, kiba lyngkot, ba sngaid, ba ksah bad ba khlaini bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ka bynta ba nalor jong ki shympriahkjat, ha ka bynta ba sha kliar jong ki, mih ki tyrsim kiba heh, ba eh, ba khlaini, ba kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ki Kurattia ki long ki mrad kiba lah ban im ha ryngkew bad hapoh um ruh. Ha ryngkew, ki long bunsien kiba iauid suki, kiba khia, kiba jaituh hynrei, ki lah pat khlem da khmih lynti ban mareh sted. Ki lah ruh ban shu syntuid da ka kpoh jong ki ha ki jaka ba sharing ban dup poi klo shapoh ka wah. Hapoh um pat ki long ki mrad kiba sted bad ba tbit ban jngi.

“Ki Kurattia ki im da kaba bam la jan baroh ki jaid mrad, kum ia ki Ksew, ki Blang, ki Sniang, ki Skei, ki Sier, ki *Zebra*, ki *Gnu* (ki mrad ba iasyriem ia ki Masi) bad ia kiba kum kita ki jaid mrad. Ki bam ruh ia ki sim ki doh kiba jngi ha ki wah bad ia ki Bseini. Ki bam ruh ia ki dohkha dohpnat ba don hapoh ki wah. Ym tang kata, hynrei, lada ki ioh lad ki bam wat ia u briew ruh”.

Ia kane ka bynta ba la thoh haneng la ioh ia ka, na ka jingbatai bad ka jingpyni shaphang ki Kurattia, ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, ia kaba la pyni ha ka 2.11.2008, ha ka por 7 baje janmiet.

Ki Kurattia ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Kyrbei.

“Ki Kurattia ki long ki mrad ki bym ju kha da ki khun hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng kumba 40 tylli ei ei shisien kha, kawei hadien kawei pat. Ki kha pylleng ruh hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih ha u shyiap uba don harud wah ba ki kmie ki ju myllien ban wad jingbam. Mar ia dep kha, ki tep ia ki thliw ba don ki pylleng jong ki da u shyiap. Hynrei, ka shim por haduh lai bnai ba kita ki pylleng kin bthei. Hashwa ba ki pylleng kin pait, ki khun Kurattia napoh ki pylleng ki sdang ban pah jur bha bad

ia kata ka jingpah ba sawa jam jong ki, lah ban iohsngew ia ka wat na ka jaka ba kham pajih ruh. Ki kmie jong ki, ki tang shu iohsngew ia ka jingpah jong ki khun jong ki, kloï lan ki leit ban khleng pynkloi ia ka jaka ha kaba ki la kha ia ki pylleng jong ki, bad ki iarap ia ki khun jong ki ban mih napoh kita ki thliw. Ia ki pylleng ki bym pat bthei ki dait ia ki ha ki shyntur jong ki ba kin pait bad ba ki khun jong ki kin ioh ruh ban mih napoh ki pylleng. Nangta, ki sa rah ia ki khun jong ki shapoh ka wah ba don hajan hangta, khnang ban lait na ka jingma na ki nongshun jong ki”.

Ia kane ka bynta ba la thoh haneng la iohi bad iohsngew ia ka jingbatai, ha kawei na ki jingpyni shaphang ki Kurattia ha ka *National Geographic Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, ia kaba la pyni ha ka 12.2.2009, ha ka por 8.20. P.M.

U Ma Salamon Passah ba na ka shnong Jowai, tang uba la shong bun bun snem ha ka shnong Ummulong bad mynta pat u la sah noh ha ka shnong Mookaiaw, u la iathuh ba ki Kurattia ki don ha ka “Thwei Surok” jong ka wah Mynkhen, ha ka lynti ban leit sha shnong Umpanai. Ha ka “Thwei Siej” jong ka wah Mynkhen hi, hangne ruh ki shong ki Kurattia. Ha ka “Thwei Bibanglang” jong ka wah Mynkhen hi, ki Kurattia ki la ioh ban bam ar tylli ki Ksew ha ka snem 1998.

Hynrei, kumba long mynta te ki Kurattia ki la sah syllai hangne hangtai, ha ki katto katne ki jaka ha ri Khasi bad Jaintia. Wat ha Garo Hills ruh kim da bun shuh.

Ha kawei na ka jingpyni ia ki Kurattia ha ka *Discovery Channel*, lyngba ka *Television* ha ka por janmiet, la pyni ia ka kynhun ba khraw jong ki mrad ba ki khot *Gnu* ha ka ktien Phareng, ia kiba la tip ruh kum ki *Wildebeasts* lem bad ki *Zebra* kiba la poi ha kawei ka wah ha Africa, ia kaba ki hap ban klan sha shiliang jong ka, khnang ba kin dup poi sha ka jaka ba ki thmu ban leit. Ka dei ha ka por ba ki kynriah jaka man ka snem, na ka jaka ba duna jingbam sha ka jaka ba don kyrhai ka jingbam. Hynrei, hapoh kata ka wah don bun tylli ki Kurattia kiba heh bha, kiba ap hapoh katta ka wah. Kita ki mrad ba don ha katta ka kynhun kaba khraw, ki la ia khih pisa bad lynga bha harud kata ka wah. Nangta bun phew tylli kita ki mrad ki la ryngkoh shapoh kata ka wah bad ialeh ban lait sha shiliang jong ka. Ha kata ka por ki Kurattia ki khlem leh ei ei ruh. Hynrei, mar ia duna ka jinghiar kitei ki mrad hapoh kata ka wah, ki dait thrait na ryndang bad na kano kano ka bynta jong ka met jong kita ki mrad ba wan shajan jong ki bad tan ia ki shapoh um. Kumta tang hadien shipor ki la lah ban pyniap ia ki bad ioh ruh ban bam ia ka doh jong ki. Ha kane ka jingpyni la iohi shisha ia ka jingkhlaif bor jong ki Kurattia.

Ia ki Kurattia, la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka Pyrthei.

#### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Kurattia:**

Namarba ki Kurattia ki bam ruh ia ki Bseiñ, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ban khanglad ba ki Bseiñ kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

Sha kawei pat ki jaka, ia ka snieh ki Kurattia ki ju suh ia ki bek snieh, ki synduk snieh, ki panpoh bad ia ki juti de. Ki brieve ha kiba bun ki ri hapoh Africa ki bam ruh ia ka doh jong ki Kurattia.

Ha ka nongbah China ka don kawei ka *Crocodile Farm* ha kaba ki ri ia ki Kurattia ba bun jaid ba la wanlam na kylleng ka ri India bad ia kiba la wanlam ruh na kiwei pat ki ri.

## Lynnong 43

### KI ÑIANGBSHIAH, KI ÑIANGBLEN BAD KI ÑIANGBLIAR

#### 43.1 Ki Ñiangbshiah

Ki dei ki jaid mrad kiba rit bha ña kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Ramashieh. Sha thaiñ Amkoi ki khot ña ki, ki Rynshiah. Ki Biate ki khot ña ki, ki Thingrat. Ki Garo ki khot ña ki, ki Agatek. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ña ki kum ki *Common Lizards*. Ha Meghalaya, ki ñiangbshiah ki don bun jaid - ki ñiangbshiah heh, ki ñiangbshiah rit bad ki ñiangbshiah-ba-her.

##### 43.1.1 Ki Ñiangbshiah Heh.

Ki ñiangbshiah heh ki im halor ki dieng kiba heh hapoh ki khlaw kiba heh. Haba ki hiar sha khyndew, ha shwa ban poi khyndew, kumba lai pruh ei ei nalar dieng, ki ju kynthih ne ryngkoh lane rypsied nalar dieng sha madan. Lada don briew hajan hangta, ha ka por ba ki kynthih, lah ban ñohsngew ña ka jingsawa kaba riew 'pduk' ha ka por ba ki hap halor madan.

Ki ñiangbshiah heh haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki barohlang, ki jrong hapdeng 8 inshi bad 9 inshi. Ki ñiangbshiah shynrang ki kham heh khyndiat ban ña ki ñiangbshiah kynthei. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ñasyiem ña ka khlieh Bseiñ. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ki don saw tylli ki kjat bad ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkijat. Ha ki shympriahkijat pat, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba jrong, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. ña ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh ba bthuh ka rong ne ka snieh ba byriong bthuh ka rong. ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba stang, ba jlih bad ba byrlich ne byrtem ka rong. Halor ka met jong ki khamtam hajan ryndang, don u kynja treng ba da ka snieh rong bthuh, ba long syriem ña ki bniat ka kurat.

Ha ki lawbah lawsan ba don sha thaiñ Garompani, Saipung, hapoh *Narpuh Reserve Forest* bad ha ki khlaw ba sha Amkoi, don ki ñiangbshiah heh kiba jyrngam ka rong, ba don bad ka jingthoh lieh halor ka met jong ki; don pat kiba don ka jingthoh stem halor ka met jong ki. ña ka bynta ba narud ka shyntur bad ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba byrtem ka rong. Halor ka met jong ki, khamtam ha ka bynta ba don hajan u ryndang, don u kynja treng ba da ka snieh ba jyrngam ka rong, ba long syriem ña ki bniat ka kurat. La ñathuh ba ña ki ñiangbshiah ba jyrngam ka rong, la lap ba ki don ruh sha ki khlaw ba don sha thaiñ Ranikor, sha Garo Hills bad sha kiwei de ki jaka.

Ki ñiangbshiah heh ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki Tyrpud. Tangba, ki ñiangbshiah heh, ha ka por shongkha, ka tdong jong u shynrang bad ka tdong ka kynthei ki ñathaiñ lang, bad ki ñapoikha artad. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ki bym kha da ki khun, hynrei ki kha da ki pylleng hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hi da ki kjat jong ki hapoh khyndew. Ki kha pylleng 10 tylli ne 12 tylli shisien kha, kata, ki kha kawei hadien kawei pat ha kajuh ka por. Mar ña dep kha, ki tap ña ka thliw da ka khyndew. Hadien bun sngi, ki pylleng ki bthei bad sa mih ki khun kiba rit. Ki khun naduh ba dangrit, naduh ba la mih sha ka pyrthei, ki hap ban shaniah ha lade hi na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki. Namar ki kmie ki kpa jong ki ñiangbshiah, kim don shuh ka jingkitkhlieh na ka bynta ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pyheh pynsan ña la ki khun.

Ki ñiangbshiah heh, ki im da kaba bam ña ki khñiang ba bun jaid bad ña ki dkhiew ruh.

### 43.1.2 Ki Ñiangbshiah Rit.

Ki ñiangbshiah rit pat, ki dei kito kiba ngi ju ñohi bunsien ba ki don hapoh ki kper ki prah. Dei namar kane ba la khot ña ki ha ka ktien Phareng, ki *Garden Lizards*. Ki don ruh ha ki shyngkiar ñing bad ha ki kyrpong ñing, ha ki lynti ki syngkieng, ha madan madiab bad ha ki khlaw ki btap.

Ki ñiangbshiah rit haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki baroh lang, ki jrong hapdeng 6 inshi bad 7 inshi tam. Ki long ruh kiba tbit bha ban kiew dieng. Haba ki hiar sha khyndew, hashwa ban poi sha trai jong u dieng kumba shi pruh ar pruh ei ei, ki ju kymthih ne ryngkoh lane rynsied sha khyndew. Lada don ki briew hajan ka jaka ba ki rynsied, ha ka por ba ki rynsied lah ban ñohngew ña ka jingsawa kaba riew pduk, ha ka por ba ki hap halor madan. ña ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba bthuh ka rong, ne da ka snieh ba byriong bthuh ka rong, don ruh ña kiba sop da ka snieh ba lam jymgam narud met bad bthuh napdeng ka met. ña ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh kaba stang, ba jlih bad ba long byrlieh ne byrtem ka rong. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ñasyriem ña ka khlieh Bseñ. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad pyllun. Ki don saw tylli ki kjat, ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ki shympriahkjat pat, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlañ, ba kdor bad ba nep.

Ki ñiangbshiah rit haba ki dom, ki ju pynat ña ka bynta ba don hapoh ka ryndang jong ki, ña kane ka bynta ba at la ju khot ña ka, u side jong ki ñiangbshiah, ka rong jong kane ka bynta ba at, ka long lam byriong blu.

Ki ñiangbshiah rit ruh, ki ñapoikha kumba ñapoikha ki ñiangbshiah heh. Kine ruh kim kha da ki khun, hynrei ki kha da ki pylleng hapdeng 6 tylli bad 8 tylli. Teng teng, don kiba kha haduh 10 tylli, hapoh ka thliw ba ki la tih hi hapoh khyndew. Mar ña dep kha ña ki pylleng, ki tyliep ña ka thliw da ka khyndew. Haba trei kper, la ju lap ña ki pylleng jong ki, kiba heh kat u symbai mator, la sop ña ki da ka kynja snep ba jem bad ba long byrlieh ka rong. Haden hun phew sngi, ki pylleng ki sa bthei bad sa mih ki khun kiba rit. Ki khun naduh ba dangrit ba ki la mih sha ka pyrthei, ki hap ban shaniah ha lade hi na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki.

Ki ñiangbshiah rit ruh, ki long kiba im da kaba bam ña ki khñiang kiba bun jaid. Ki bam ruh ña ki presbin bad ña ki katto katne ki jait jingthung.

### 43.1.3 Ki Ñiangbshiah–Ba–Her.

Ki dei ki jaid ñiangbshiah kiba lah ban her kumba her ki Syllih ne ki Jalyngkhiang nator jong uwei u dieng sha trai jong uwei pat u dieng. Hynrei, kim lah ban her narum shaneng ne ban her kumba her ki Sim sha suiñbneng. Ki don ka kynja snieh ba stang ha baroh ar ki krung jong ki, kiba long kum ki thapbniang. Haba ki pynnoh ñalade nator ki dieng, ki pynpyiar ña kine ki snieh ba long kum ki thapbniang. Hynrei haba ki dem ym lah ban ñohi ña ki thapbniang jong ki. Namar ba ki lah ban her, ha ka ktien Phareng la tip ña ki kum ki *Flying Lizards*.

## KI NIANGBSHIAH, KI NIANGBLEN BAD KI NIANGBLIAR

U Bah Rin Lam in u la iathuh ba ia ki niangbshiah ba lah ban her, sha ka thain Amko i la khot ia ki, ki Rynshuah-Per U iathuh ba ia ki jaid niangbshiah-Ba-Her la lap ha ki khlaw ne ki bri ba ki briew ki rep tympew Haba ki her nalor dieng bad dem ha trai jong uwei pat u dieng, ha kaba kum kata ka por, lada don briew hajan ka jaka ba ki dem, lah ban iohsngew ia ka jingsawa ba riw 'plok', ha ka por ba ki dem

Ki Niangbshiah-Ba-Her haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki barohlang, ka jrong duna shi phut Ka met jong ki ka long kaba rit bad ba spud Ka dur ka dar jong ki, ka long thik kumba long kiwei pat ki niangbshiah Ka khlieh jong ki ka iasyriem ia ka khlieh Bsein Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun Ki don saw tylli ki kjat Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat don san tylli ki shympriahkjat Ha ki shympriahkjat mih ki tyrsim kiba jrong, ba eh, ba khlain, ba kdor bad ba nep bha Ia ka met jong ki la sop ia ka, da ka snieh kaba long rong bthuh Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba stang, ba jlih bad ba da ka rong ba byrlied ne byrtem Ki niangbshiah-ba-her ki long ki bym don ha kylleng ka jaka, hynrei la lap ia ki ha ki katto katne, ki bynta jong ka jylla Meghalaya, bad ka thain Amko i kaba don ha War Jaintia ka long kawei na ki jaka ba la lap ba ki don

Ki Niangbshiah-Ba-Her ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha kiwei pat ki niangbshiah Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ki bym kha da ki khun Hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng hapoh ki thliw ba ki la tih hi hapoh khyndew Ki kha pylleng ruh hapdeng 5 tylli bad 6 tylli shisien kha Ki pylleng ki long kiba lieh ka rong, bad mar ia dep kha ki tyllap ia ki thliw da ka khyndew Hadien bun phew sngi ki pylleng ki sa bthei bad sa mih ki khun kiba rit Ki khun ki Niangbshiah-Ba-Her naduh ba ki dangrit naduh ba ki la mih pyrthei ki hap ban shaniah halade hi na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki

Ki Niangbshiah-Ba-Her ki long kiba im halor ki dieng Ki im ruh da kaba bam ia ki khniang ba bun jaid Tangba ki bang bha ban bam ia ki dkhiew kiba par halor ki dieng

La lap ba ki niangbshiah ba ki don, ha kylleng sawdong ka jylla Meghalaya Ki don ruh sha kiwei ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiba bun ki ri jong ka pyrthei

### **Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki niangbshiah:**

Ki niangbshiah ki long ki mrad kiba im da kaba bam ia ki khniang kiba bun jaid bad ia ki Dkhiew Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ba ki khniang ba bun jaid bad ki Dkhiew kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than

## **43.2 Ki Niangapiing.**

Ki dei ki jaid mrad kiba rit bha, ia kiba tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Niangyangyung Sha thain Amko i la khot ia ki, ki Ko-ke Sha thain Khatkasla ki khot ia ki ki Bhut Ki Biare ki khot ia ki, ki In-ot Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Benchitek Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Geckos*

Ki Niangapiing ki kham rit bad kham lyngkot ia ki Niangbshiah bad ia ki Niangblen Haba ki la san pura bha ka jingrong jong ki, kaba kynthup ia ka khlieh ka met bad ia u tdong jong ki, ka long hapdeng 3 inshi tam bad 4 inshi Ka khlieh jong ki ka iasyriem ia ka khlieh Bsein Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun Ki don saw tylli ki kjat, ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki, don san tylli ki shympriahkjat Ha ki shympriahkjat mih ki tyrsim kiba rit, ba lam kdor bad ba nep, tangba kim

long kiba eh. Ia ka met jong ki, la sop da ka snieh kaba don ki jingat ki barit barit ha baroh kawei ka met jong ki. Ki don kiba iöng ka rong, kiba byrtem bthuh bad kiba byriong bthuh. Bunsien, ki im ha khyndew, hynrei, kiba byrtem bthuh ka rong pat, ki im barabor ha ki iing ki briew. Ia ka bynta ba napoh jong ka met jong ki, la sop ia ka da ka snieh kaba stang, ba jlih bad ba byrtem ka rong. Ha kiba iöng pat, ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met ruh la sop da ka snieh ba stang, ba jlih bad ba lam iöng hi ka rong. Ia kiba byriong bthuh ruh, ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da ka snieh ba stang, ba jlih bad ba lam byriong bthuh ka rong.

Ki Ñiangapiing ba byrtem bthuh ka rong ki don ki kjat kiba ksah bad ba khilaiñ bha; kumta, ki lah ban iaid sted halor ka sad iing ha kata ka rukom ba ka met jong ki ka long da khongpong, hynrei kim hap sha madan namar, ki kjat ba khilaiñ bad ki dohksah ba don ha ka met jong ki lem bad ki '*specialised toe pads*' ki iatrei lang ban bat pynskhem ha ka sad iing, bad kumta kim ju hap thala sha madan.

Ki Ñiangapiing ki dei kiba wad jingbam mynmiet hynrei, la ju iöhi ba ki iaid ki jeng wat ha ka por sngi ruh, khamtam ha ka por ba dum sngi. Sha ri Dkhar, la jan man ki iing lah ban iöhi ia ki. Hynrei, shane don ki iing ba ki don bad don ruh ki iing ba kim don. Ha ki iing ba don ding *electric*, barabor la iöhi ba ha ka por miet, ha ka sad jong ka baranda ne hapoh iing lane ha ki kynroh jong ka iing, ba ki Ñiangapiing ki apthap ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid, kiba kynthup ia ki skaiñ bad ia ki 'kaiñ pyrjong ruh.

Ka met jong ki Ñiangapiing ka long kaba lung bha Lada kum bat pyneh malu mala ia u tdong jong ki, u dkut noh. Ka long ruh kaba phylla haba u tdong jong ki, u shah dait ha kiwei pat ki mrad, u dkut thui da kaba suk bad kim iap. Hynrei hadien katto katne taiew, la mih pat da uwei u tdong, tangba um long shuh ha ka juh ka dur ka dar bad ka rong, kumba u la ju long mynshwa. Kane ka jinglong, ban pynlait ia u tdong ne ia ki bynta jong ka met khnang ban lait na ki nongshun, ia kaba ki khot ha ka ktien Phareng ka '*Autotomy*', lah ban shem ha ki katto katne ki jaid ñiangbshiah ruh.

Ki Ñiangapiing ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Ñiangbshiah. U Bah Bniiah Lathong u la iathuh ba ki Ñiangapiing ki ju kha pylleng tang ar tylli shisien kha, ha khap ki lyntang iing. Ha ka por ba kha, ka snep jong ki pylleng ka long kaba pnah kum ka shun kaba jem bad hadien katto katne por ka sa eh. Kane ka jingpnah jong ki snep pylleng ha ka por ba kha ia ki, ka iarap ba kin dambit ruh ha ka jaka ba la kha ia ki. Kine ki pylleng hadien katto katne taiew ki sa bthei ne pait bad sa mih ki khun ba rit jong ki Ñiangapiing. Ki khun jong ki Ñiangapiing ruh, ki hap ban shaniah halade hi, naduh ba ki la mih sha ka pyrthei na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki. Namar, ki Ñiangapiing ruh ki long kumba long ki Ñiangbshiah bad ki Ñiangblen, ki bym don ka jingkitkhlich na ka bynta ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynneh pynsan ia la ki khun ki kti.

U Bah Autom Kynjing, uba ju long u *District Horticultural Officer* ka Jaintia Hills u la iathuh ba lada ki Ñiangapiing ki hap ha ka jingtah, ka ja ba dang shet, ka dud bad ha ki jingbam ba dang shet, dei ban bret ia kata ka jingbam namar haba la shet lang bad ka Ñiangapiing, kata ka jingbam ka kylla bih noh.

Ia ki Ñiangapiing la lap ba ki don ha kylleng ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka jingmyntol ba ngi loh na ki Niangapīng:**

Ki Niangapīng kumba long ki Niangbshiah bad ki Niangblen, ki long kiba im da kaba bam ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw, ha ba ban khanglad ba ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

**43.3 Ki Ko-Ke.**

Ki dei ki Niangapīng kiba heh tam ia kiba la lap ba ki don ha Meghalaya. Ia ka kyrteng jong ki ruh la loh na ka jingpah jong ki hi kaba long Ko-ke-ko-ke. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat la tip ia ki kum ki *Tokay Geckos*.

Ki Ko-ke, haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki ka jrong shi phut duna. Ka jingheh ka met jong ki ka long kat ka tyndong sliew dieng. Ka khlieh jong ki ka ia syriem ia ka khlieh Bseñ. Ki khmat jong ki ki long kiba rit, ba pyllon bad ba saw phymai bha ka rong. Ka shyntur jong ki ka long kaba lam nep malu mala. Hapoh ka shyntur jong ki don saw tylli ki bniat, ki kjat jong ki ki long kiba lyngkot, ba sngaid, ba ksah bad ba khlaiñ bha. Ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat jong ki don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha kliar kawei pa kawei ka shympriahkjat, ha ka bynta ba nalor, mih ki tyrsim kiba eh, ba khlaiñ, ba lam kdor bad ba nep bha.

Ia ka khlieh jong ki Ko-ke, la sop ia ka da snieh kaba thoh-braiñ da ka rong ba lam byrsaw bthuh bad ka rong stem; na ka bynta ba naneng ki khmat ha baroh arliang, don ka jingpruid dak ba da ka rong stem. Ia ka met jong ki pat la sop da ka snieh ba thoh-braiñ ba da ka rong stem bad ka rong byrsaw bthuh - ha ki bynta ba don ka rong stem ki long kiba kham rit, katba ha ki bynta ba don ka rong byrsaw bthuh ki long kiba kham heh. Kine ki rong stem bad rong byrsaw bthuh ki ia shong mar syndah kawei hadien kawei pat. Ha u tdong jong ki ruh ka don ka jingthoh braiñ ba ia syriem kumba long halor ka met jong ki. Ka bynta ba ha trai u tdong ka long kaba kham sngaid bad ba kham heh; nangta, ka sdang ban kham rit bad ka kliar jong u tdong ka long kaba rit bha. Ia ki kjat bad ia ki shympriahkjat jong ki ruh la sop da ka snieh ba thoh-braiñ ba da ka rong stem bad da ka rong byrsaw bthuh.

Ia ki Ko-ke, la lap ba ki don sha ki jaka ba kham shit - kum sha thaiñ Umkiang jong ka Jaintia Hills bad sha kiwei de ki bynta jong ka Meghalaya. U Kynum Joinpīl Pde bad u Bah Rin Lamin ki iathuh ba ki Ko-ke ki bam wat ia ki Khnai da kaba nguid ia ki. Don ruh kiba iathuh ba ki bam ruh ia ki khun sim da kaba nguid ia ki. Ki bam ruh ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid har rukom. Kumba long ki Niangapīng, kine ruh ki juh ban shong ban sah ha iing ki briew, khamtam ha kito ki iing kiba don hajan ka khlaw. Ki briew ruh ki pynjuh ia ki namar ba ki bam bha ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid.

Ki Ko-ke ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Niangbshiah. Ki kha pylleng hapoh khyndew, hapdeng 8 tylli bad 10 tylli shisien kha. Ki shim por ruh bun bun phew sngi ba ki pylleng kin pait bad sa mih ki khun Ko-ke kiba rit. Kumba long ki jaid Niangbshiah, ki kpa bad ki kmie Ko-ke kim don ka jingkitkhlieh ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa, ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun ki kti. Ki khun Ko-ke, naduh ba ki mih sha ka pyrthei ki hap ban shaniah ha lade hi na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki.

La lap ba ki Ko-ke ki don ha Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki kylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.



### Ka jingmyntoi ba ngi ioh na ki Ko-ke:

Namarba ki Ko-ke ki bam bha ia ki Khnai ba bun jaid bad ia ki Khñiang ki Ksiah, kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw ha kaban khanglad ia ki Khnai bad ki Khñiang ki Ksiah ba kin nym ioh lad ban roi sha ba palat than.

### 43.4 Ki Ñiangbliar.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad kiba rit, ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki OK-E (kynnoh OK kumba kynnoh ia ka ktien OX ha ka ktien Phareng bad ia u E kumba kynnoh ha ka ktien Khasi). Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Gara. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Chameleons*.

U Pastor B. Lamin u la iathuh ha une u Nongthoh ba u la lap ia ka kyrteng ha ka Kotbah Khasi ha ka kitab Lebitikos - ha ka lynnong ba khadwei bad ha ka dkhot ba 29, la lap ba la thoh *Chameleon* ha ka jaka Ñiangbliar. Kumta, ka ktien *Chameleon* ka mut Ñiangbliar ha ka ktien Khasi.

U Bah S.G. Momin u la thoh sha une u Nongthoh, ba "Ha Garo Hills, la lap ba don bun jaid ki *Chameleons* ne ki Ñiangbliar, kiba rit bha ha ka jungheh, bad ki shong ki sah halor ki dieng, ki syntiew khlaw, harud ki wahrit bad ki wahbah, ha ki thliew dieng bad ki khap maw. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Gara. Ki don kiba lam byrlieh ka rong, ki don kiba stem ka rong, ki don kiba jyrngam ka rong, ki don kiba bthuh ka rong bad don pat kiba saw ka khlich bad ba stem ka met; ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba lah ban kylla rong, kat kumba long ka jaka ba ki don, khnang ba kin dup suk ban ioh kem ia ki khñiang ba bun jaid ba kin bam".

Ki Ñiangbliar haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlich, ka met bad u tdong jong ki baroh lang, ki jrong hapteng 4 inshi bad 6 inshi tam. Ka khlich jong ki ka iapher na ki khlich jong ki Ñiangbshiah, ki Ñiangblen bad ki Ñiangapiing. Halor ka khlich jong ki, don ka kynja jingsop ba da ka snieh, kaba paw habar, ia kaba ym lap ba kan don ha ki Ñiangbshiah, Ñiangblen bad Ñiangapiing. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba heh, ia kiba ki lah ban pynphai bad peit kat shaba ki mon. Ki don saw tylli ki kjat bad ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ki shympriahkjat, mih ki tyrsim kiba rit, ba lam kdor bad ba nep. U tdong jong ki u long uba jrong, ia uba ki lah ban kli lane ban pynsnoh ha ki tnad dieng. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad kiba kham juh ban sah bad ban im halor ki dieng.

Ki Ñiangbliar, ki iapher ruh na ki Ñiangbshiah, ki Ñiangblen bad ki Ñiangapiing namar, ki long kiba ngaid bad kiba suki ban iaid bad ban par. Katkum ba une u nongthoh u la iohi bad la ioh ruh ban ngap ia ka jingbatai ba la pyni ha ka *Discovery Channel* bad ha ka *National Geographic Channel* shaphang ki *Chameleons* ne ki Ñiangbliar, lyngba ka *Television*, ki Ñiangbliar ki don u thylliej uba jrong bha, ia uba ki pyndonkam ban kem ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid, bad bam ia ki.

Ki Ñiangbliar ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Ñiangbshiah. Ki long ruh ki jaid mrad ki bym kha da ki khun hynrei, ki kha da ki pylleng. Hashwa ba kin kha pylleng, ki hiar nalog dieng sha khyndew. Nangta ki sa tih thliew ha khyndew bad ki sa kha pylleng shisien kha, kawei hadien kawei pat. Ki ju kha pylleng hapteng 20 tylli bad 30 tylli. Mar ia dep kha pylleng, ki tyllap ia ka thliew da ka khyndew, khnang ban long kumba pdem. Nangta ki kiew biang shalor ki dieng bad ki shong ki sah hangta. Hadien katto katne taiew, ki pylleng ki sa bthei ne pait, bad sa mih ki khun Ñiangbliar kiba rit bha. Ki khun Ñiangbliar naduh ba ki dang rit, ki hap ban shaniah halade hi na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki. Namar ki Ñiangbliar ruh, ki long ki bym don jingkitkhlich na ka bynta ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun ki kti.

Ha Meghalya la lap ba ki Niangbliar ki kham jyilei sha Garo Hills, sha thain Khatkasla bad sha kiwei pat ki jaka ba kham shit. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi loh na ki Niangbliar:**

Ki Niangbliar kumba long ki Niangbshiah, ki Niangblen bad ki Niangapīng, ki im da kaba bam ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw, ha kaban khanglad ba ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid bun sker, ba kin nym ioh lad ban roi shaba palat than.

### 43.5 Ki Niangblen.

Ki dei ki jaid mrad kiba rit bha, ia kiba la tip ha ka ktien Jaintia kum ki Rymblen. Sha thain Amkoi ki khot ia ki, ki Rynlang. Ki Biate ki khot ia ki, ki Uleng. Ki Garo ki khot ia ki, ki Adilwak. Ha ka ktien Phareng pat, la tip ia ki kum ki *Skinks*.

Ki Niangblen haba ki la san pura bha, ka khlieh, ka met bad u tdong jong ki baroh lang, ki jrong hapdeng 6 inshi bad 7 inshi tam. Kat kum ka jingbatai ba une u Nongthoh la ioh ban sngap bad ban peit, ha kawei na ki programme ba la pyni ia ki *Lizards* ba bun jaid, ha ka *Discovery Channel* lyngba ka *Television*, la batai ba ia ka met ki Niangblen la sop ia ka da ki snep kiba rit ba rit, kiba shong syrtap kawei halor kawei pat. Ka rong jong kine ki snep ki long kiba bthuh rong duma, ba don ruh ka jingthoh stem bad ba phynai bha. Ia ka bynta ba napoh ka met jong ki la sop da ki snep ba long byrlich ne byrtem ka rong. Ka khlieh jong ki ka iasyriem ia ka khlieh Bseñ. Ki khmat jong ki, ki long kiba rit bad ba pyllun. Ki don saw tylli ki kjat; ha kawei pa kawei ka kjat don san tylli ki shympriahkjat. Ha ki shympriahkjat mih ki tyrsim kiba rit, ba lam kdor bad ba nep.

Ki Niangblen shynrang ki kham heh bad kham jrong khyndiat ia ki Niangblen kynthei. Ki long ki mrad kiba shong ba sah, hapoh ki thliw ba don hapoh khyndew ne hapoh jong ki sla dieng ba la tlór bad hap halor khyndew. Ki wad jingbam mynsngi, mynmiet ki thiah hapoh ki thliw ne hapoh ki sla dieng. Ki bam bha ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid bad ki long ruh kiba lah ban kiew dieng.

Ki Niangblen ki iapoikha kumba iapoikha ki Niangbshiah. Ki kha pylleng ha ka por lyiur, ki kha pylleng 8 tylli shisien kha bad ki tyllep ia ki hapoh khyndew, khnang ban long kumba pdem, bad hadien katto katne taiew ki pylleng ki sa bthei ne pait, bad sa mih ki khun Niangblen kiba rit. Ki khun Niangblen ruh ki hap ban shaniah hi halade naduh ba ki dangrit, na ka bynta ka jingim jong ki. Namar ki Niangblen ruh, ki long ki jaid mrad ki bym don ka jingkitkhlieh na ka bynta ban ri ban sumar, ban bsa ban pjiah bad ban pynheh pynsan ia la ki khun ki kti.

Ia ki Niangblen bunsien la iohi ba ki don ha ki kper ki prah, sha shyngkiar iing, sha kyrpong iing, ha ki lynti ki synkien, ha madan madiab bad ha ki khlaw ki btap. La lap ba ki Niangblen ba ki don ha kylleng sawdong ka jylla Meghalaya. Ki don ruh sha kiwei pat ki jylla jong ka ri India bad sha kiwei de ki ri.

**Ka Jingmyntoi ba ngi loh na ki Niangblen:**

Ki Niangblen kumba long ki Niangbshiah, ki im da kaba bam ia ki khñiang ki ksiah ba bun jaid. Kumta ki don ka bynta kaba khraw, ha kaban khanglad, ba ki khñiang ki ksiah, kin nym ioh ban roi shaba palat than.

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